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London, May 10. Thousands of names, from that of Queen Elizabeth to a ship's greaser are recorded in the King's Coronation Honours List, issued to-night. Her Majesty is appointed Lady of the Order of the Thistle, and receives the Royal Victorian Chain, which decoration was also conferred upon Queen Mary and Lord Wigram, Extra Equerry to the King since 1936.

The Duchesses of Gloucester and Kent, the Countess of Athlone, Mrs. Lyons, wife of the Australian Prime Minister, Mr. J. A. Lyons, become Dames of the Grand Cross of the British Empire.

New Knights of the Garter are the Duke of Beaufort, the Earl of Strathmore (who is also appointed an Earl of the United Kingdom), the Marquis of Exeter and the Duke of Norfolk, Lord Marshal of England.

New Knights of the Thistle are Sir Ian Colquhoun, Lord Lieutenant of Dunbartonshire, and Earl Stair, twelfth of his line, whose title dates from 1664.

The Order of Merit is conferred upon Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Baden-Powell, first Baron of Gilwell, famous as the head of the world Scout movement, and a distinguished soldier.

An Earl of the United Kingdom is the Earl of Bessborough, former Governor-General of Canada.

Sir Robert Horne, famous figure in the British shipping world, and Sir Herbert Samuel, noted Liberal Parliamentarian, are created Viscounts.

The nine Barons in the Honours List include the former Cabinet Minister, Dr. Christopher Addison, educationist and author; Sir John Cadman, another of Britain's great industrial figures; and Admiral of the Fleet Sir Ernie Chatfield.

Privy Counsellors

Twelve new Privy Counsellors include the Duke of Kent; Sir Patrick Duncan, South African Minister of Mines; Viscount Galloway, Governor-General of New Zealand; Lord Gowrie, Governor-General of Australia; Lord Tweedmouth, Governor-General of Canada; Lord Snell, Chairman of the London County Council; Mr. F. W. Pethick-Lawrence, Labour member of Parliament for Edinburgh; Dr. Edward Baring, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade; Mr. Ernest Lapointe, Canadian Minister of Justice.

Public Service Rewarded

Fifty-four new knighthoods are awarded for public service in many fields. They include the musician, Arnold Bax; the artist, Mairhead Bone; and the novelist, High Wycombe. The Countess of Strathmore is appointed Dame Grand Cross of the Victorian Order and Mary Susan (Marie) Tempest, the actress and singer, becomes a Dame Commander of the British Empire.

Among the five Companions of Honour are the Viscountess Astor; the journalist, Mr. J. Spender; the Rev. M. E. Dubrey.

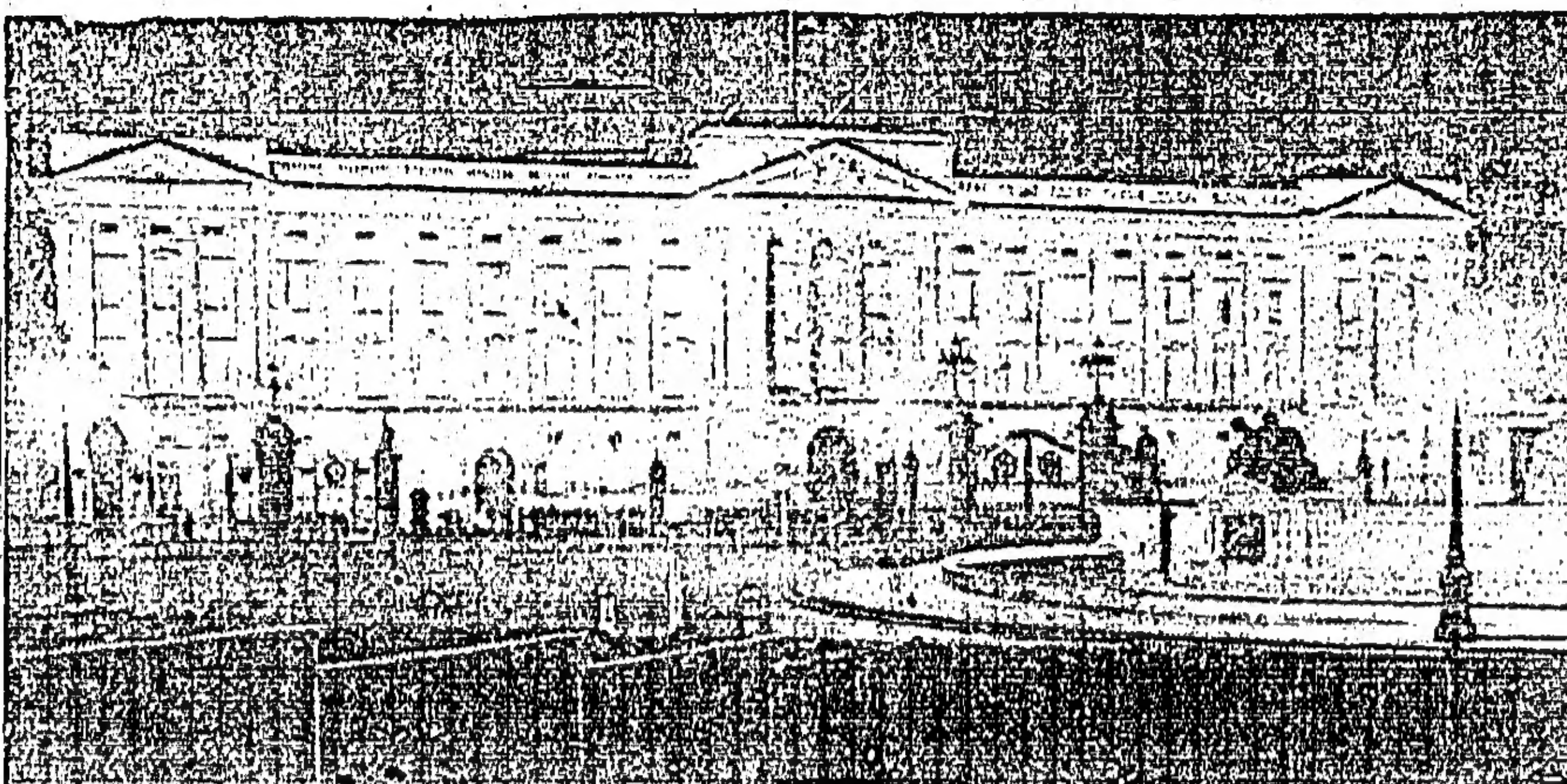
His Majesty has assumed the Colony-in-Chief of several regiments and corps, and has appointed Queen Elizabeth, Queen Mary, other members of the Royal Family, and Field Marshal A. A. Montgomery-Massingberd, son of the late General, as Colonels-in-Chief of the various regiments.

The Victoria Order is conferred upon Queen Maud of Norway, the Princess Royal, Princess Beatrice and Princess Louise, and the Duchess of Argyll.

Knighthoods were also conferred upon Commander Matheson, of the Orient Line and the cricketer, "Plum" Warner.

General Hubert Gough is made a Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath. Lieutenant-General Dill is made a Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath. Air Chief Marshal Sir John Steel is made a Knight.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE FLOODLIT



Buckingham Palace, which will attract thousands of people to-morrow, is here shown effectively floodlit, as it will be during the Coronation ceremonies.

OCEAN FLIERS ACROSS

Merrill And Lambie Set Up Record

Had To Stop To Ask Their Way

London, May 10. Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie, pilot and co-pilot respectively of the speedy Lockheed transport plane which took off from New York yesterday afternoon, landed at Croydon at 6.38 p.m.

Merrill brought his machine down at North Weald, Essex, first, asked directions, got his bearings and proceeded immediately to Croydon. He landed there without further incident.

Having left New York at 4.35 p.m. the previous evening (which is Eastern Standard Time) - the fliers made a quick passage. They propose to leave for New York with pictures of the Coronation on Wednesday night or early Thursday morning, no matter what the weather. - Reuter.

SET SPEED RECORD

London, May 10. Briefly halting to get their bearings at North Weald, Essex, because of the prevailing mistiness, Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie landed their trans-Atlantic plane at Croydon at 6.38 p.m. to-day, barely missing the distinction of being the first aviators to make a non-stop New York to London crossing.

They report that bad weather delayed their arrival and that they hope to return to New York Thursday. Lambie said the plane had averaged 100 miles per hour.

Their elapsed time from New York to North Weald was 20 hours 31 minutes, which is a speed record for a non-stop flight from New York to any point in the British Isles. - United Press.

QUEEN MARY'S GIFT

London, May 10. The Queen Mother has presented fourteen engravings to the nation, all of which are pictures of the Royal Family of France. - Reuter.

CROWDS THROG LONDON ON EVE OF CORONATION

Wild Enthusiasm Shown When Members of Royal Family Encountered

London, May 10. Two Westminster Abbey rehearsals ushered in Coronation Week to-day. Thousands of sight-seers stood in the rain and cheered the arrival of about 250 notables at the morning rehearsal. Then, in the afternoon, - blessed by finer weather, - excited crowds surged about the Royal car from which the King and Queen, both waving and smiling, drove to what was probably the final rehearsal of Wednesday's ceremony.

Buckingham Palace all day long was a focal point of interest of a multitude of Coronation visitors. Pall Mall was jammed with cars moving at a snail's pace. Thousands pressed about the Palace gates and admired the Australian troops on sentry duty. They gazed hopefully towards the Palace windows.

They were rewarded. Shortly before 1 p.m. the little Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose appeared at a second floor window and waved happily to the crowd.

A round of brilliant state and social functions opened to-day with His Majesty's luncheon at Buckingham Palace for foreign royalties, most of whom now have arrived in London. To-night some 450 notables attended the State Banquet at Buckingham Palace.

TELEVISION BROADCAST

On Coronation Day the BBC will attempt its first "outside television broadcast." It will be the first in history. The entire progress of the two-mile procession, as it passes Hyde Park corner, will be photographed by three cameras of the new mobile television unit and shown on a television screen.

The visit of the King and Queen to Westminster Abbey during the afternoon was a surprise. They were not expected at the Coronation rehearsal. The King wore a black bowler, with short black coat and striped trousers. The Queen wore a long coat with puffed sleeves and a wide-brimmed straw hat. She smiled and waved frequently to the large and cheering crowd.

PRINCES ALSO ATTEND

The Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Kent arrived at the rehearsal and took part in the Royal Procession to the Coronation Theatre. The Archbishop wore a cope of purple and gold.

Last night Londoners got their first glimpse of the Coronation in the shape of new streamers. Crowds had watched the decorations all night and thousands finally queued up outside the Post Offices, from midnight, to be on hand first thing in the morning for the new stamp issue.

Over 35,000,000 stamps were sold during the day. The previous record for the number of stamps of a new issue sold in a day was 25,000,000. - Reuter.

No Modification

London, May 10. It was officially stated at Buckingham Palace this evening that while the programme of the Coronation

LOVELY RESORT AREAS OFFERED TO H.K. PUBLIC

Hang Hau Sites To Be Sold By Auction

MILITARY ROADS OPEN NEW BEAUTY VISTAS

A brief announcement in last week's Government Gazette may foreshadow the end of the boom in popularity of beaches along the Castle Peak Road as popular bathing resorts for summer months.

The Gazette announcement advertises the sale by auction on Friday next week of 26 agricultural and building lots in the Hang Hau area.

The sale is the first of a series that will ultimately open the entire peninsula between Port Shelter and Junk Bay to the public. It embraces an area that contains the most beautiful sites and the cleanest beaches in the Colony.

Coronation News Holds Spotlight

Chief Interest Of America To-day

Whole Nation To "Listen In"

New York, May 10. Neither the shocking von Hindenburg disaster's inevitable aftermath - the inquiry into the causes of the tragedy - nor the adventurous flight of Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie across the Atlantic Ocean, are able to divert attention and interest from the Coronation. Stories of the preparations in London are given a prominent place in the whole of America's important press.

The New York Times Sunday edition carried sixteen columns of Coronation description. All newspapers in New York featured radio pictures.

The American who cannot go to London - and thousands are - will be able to hear at home almost as much about the ceremonies as those present. The leading broadcasting chains will be monopolized by the world's greatest news story of the day. Commentaries will be transmitted from over 50 strategic points in London, covering the proceedings from start to finish.

The climax of a day of almost continuous broadcasts will be the King's speech, which will be heard in every town and village in the United States. - Reuter.

FREE CORONATION SUPPLEMENT

With to-morrow's issue of the "Hongkong Telegraph," there will be presented free to readers a special 12-page Coronation Supplement. The Supplement will contain numerous illustrated articles touching on all aspects of the life of the King and Queen and their children. Portraits of the leading officials in charge of the Hongkong celebrations will also appear, together with a complete list of the various committees and the local programme.

Hayes homered for the Athletics and Greenberg for the Tigers. The winners had nine hits, one better than their opponents, and each were taxed one error.

New York Yankees won easily from Chicago White Sox, Pearson allowing only one hit. Selkirk hitting one homer and Di Maggio two. Chicago had two errors.

St. Louis Browns, with nine hits, beat Washington with five hits, nine to three. Washington had four errors. - Reuter.

The lots to be sold next Friday are all in the vicinity of a beautiful white, sandy beach, 200 yards long. In addition to the 26 lots, which can provide room for 13 residences with large garden areas, there is room on the beach for 50 matsheds.

Government will shortly throw this beach open to the public. It is within a few hundred yards of the new Military Road from Customs Pass to Junk Bay, and is only ten minutes from Kai Tak Airport.

Within two years, the new Military road will run to within 200 yards of famous Clearwater Bay beach which, it is expected, will become the most popular bathing resort on the mainland.

All of the beaches brought into communication by the new military roads are beautifully clean. Unlike the mainland beaches on the Castle Peak road, they are not polluted by the waters of the West River.

WIDENING PASS ROAD

Government is spending \$60,000 this year on widening the Customs Pass road in order to make it available for public traffic. It is already possible for motorists to travel several miles on the new road, the only bad patch being the climb to the top of Customs Pass. Widening operations are being effected on this portion now. Beyond Customs Pass the road provides a beautiful drive, already well used.

The upset price of the lots to be sold by public auction next week varies from \$38 to \$100, with an annual Crown rental of from 40 cents to \$10. On the building lots, the building covenant is \$3,500.

The 50 matshed sites available on Nam Tau Sha Beach, which is just below the building sites to be auctioned, will probably be thrown open to the public at the end of summer.

NO LIGHT SHED ON DISASTER

Von Hindenburg Fire Inquiry Opens

Lakehurst, May 10.

A very strong light in the upper air of the tragically lost zeppelin, von Hindenburg, preceded the appearance of the fire which destroyed the airship with such appalling loss of life, according to evidence brought out at the opening session of the Department of Commerce inquiry to-day.

The investigation was largely devoted to the evidence of Commander Recondahl, of the Lakehurst Air Station, one of the United States' foremost authorities on dirigibles. Although his testimony threw little new light upon the probable cause of the disaster, he scouted the theory that a spark of static electricity was responsible. The fact, however, which touched the public prior to this disclosure of the cause of the disaster, was that the airship was grounded in a high wind.

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Flowers & Curls



Hair-style for the young and gay... hair brushed straight back off the forehead, arranged in flat curls up the back of the head. Perched on the top and well to the front, a flower—rose or gardenia—tucked among its leaves.

TARTLETS

easy to make dishes for that bun flight

HOME PAGE Cook has a sweet tooth, so when we discussed what we should write about for letter T she at once suggested Tartlets.

I've a taste for savouries myself, so to meet both our tastes we decided that a selection of tartlet fillings might be given for readers to make their own choice. So here they are.

SWEET

Chocolate

Crema together two egg-yolks and 3oz. castor sugar and add 4oz. stale cake-crumbs, 2oz. grated chocolate, 1/2oz. cornflour and 2oz. melted butter. Then stir in lightly the whisked egg-whites and bake in tartlets about 20 minutes. When cold cover with chocolate icing.

Custard

Make some custard; line your tartlet tins with paste and in the bottom of each put a good layer of jam. Pour the custard over and bake about half an hour in a moderate oven.

Date

Chop 4oz. stoned dates; whisk stiffly three whites of egg and add 3oz. sugar, 2oz. ground almonds and 2oz. potato flour. Fill tartlets, cover with buttered paper and bake for about 20 minutes. On serving cover each with a little red-currant jelly.

Lemon

Cream 4oz. butter with 4oz. castor sugar, beat in separately two eggs and then add the juice and finely grated rind of a lemon. Leave this mixture for at least 24 hours, then fill tartlets with it and bake about 20 minutes.

Maids of Honour

There are various ways of making these pleasant tartlets. Here is a simple one. Blanch dry end pound 2oz. Jordan almonds with 4oz. castor sugar, add one egg and mix in half an ounce of fine flour, with two tablespoonfuls of cream and a tablespoonful of orange-flower water. Fill tartlets and bake 15 minutes.

Macaroon

Whisk two egg-whites with 4oz. of castor sugar and add 4oz. ground almonds to them. Put some jam in the bottom of your lined tartlet moulds, then some of the macaroon

SAVOURY

Anchovy

First bake the tartlets "blind," that is filled with rice or haricot beans so that they keep their shape. When they are cold fill them with whipped cream flavoured anchovy essence and sprinkled with paprika pepper. A few capers may be added for decoration.

Cheese

Melt 1oz. butter, stir in 1oz. flour and moisten with half a pint of milk. Boil, stirring for three or four minutes, cool a little and add two or three egg-yolks and cook without boiling for another three minutes. Then add 4oz. grated cheese and finally the whisked egg-whites. Fill tartlets and bake for 20 minutes quickly.

Egg-and-Bacon

Fry for a minute or two three sliced onions with three tablespoonfuls of diced lean bacon. Put a little of this mixture into your tartlets and cover it with three eggs beaten in a pint of milk and seasoned with salt and pepper. Bake until the custard sets; about 25 minutes.

Onion

Chop some onions finely and fry them without coloration in butter. Then mix them with the yolk of an egg, put this mixture in your tartlets, cover them like mince pies and bake them. Cream can be added to the egg-and-onion mixture if liked.

Spinach

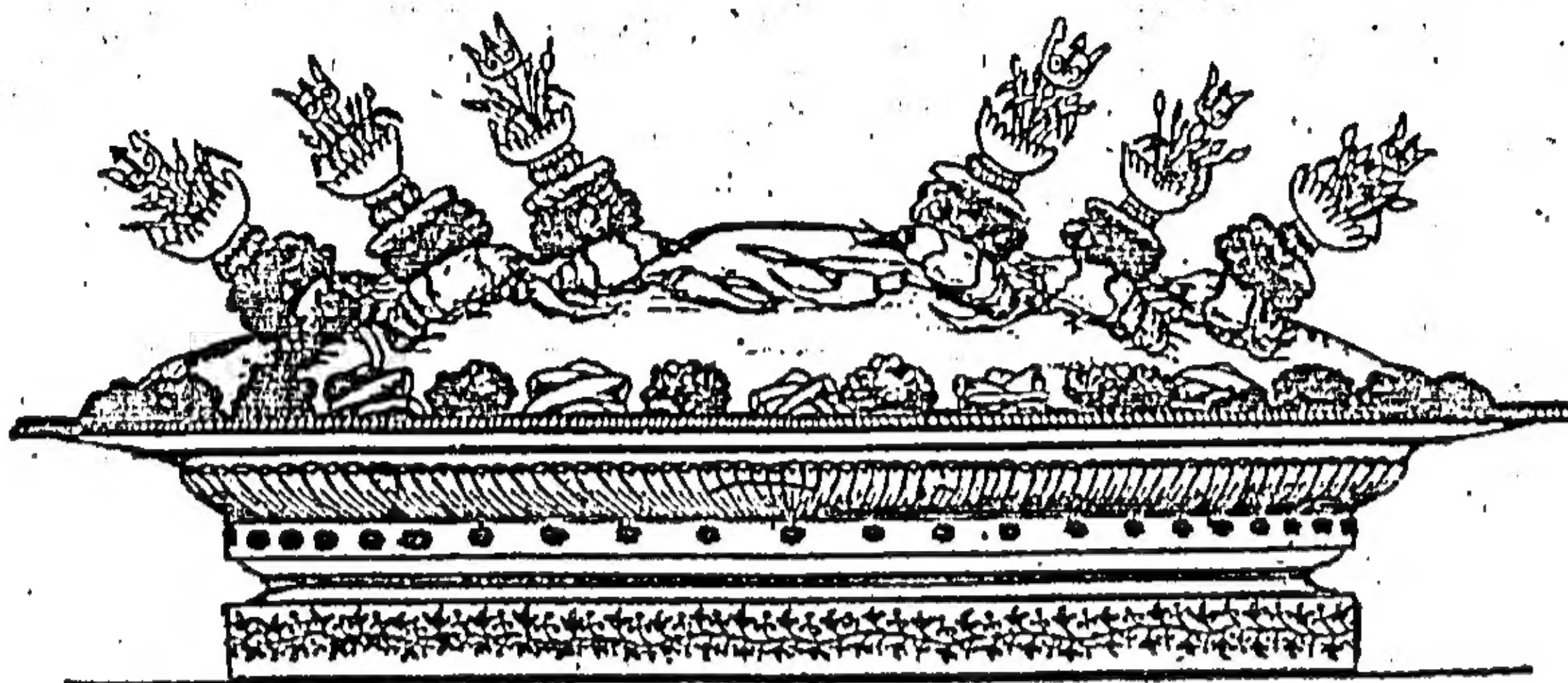
Wash and prepare a pound of spinach and put it through a mincing machine. Beat three eggs and add them to a pint of milk, adding the spinach afterwards. Mix well together and season with salt and pepper. Fill tartlets with this mixture, put a little dot of butter on each and bake about half an hour in a moderate oven.

Tomato

Peel and slice half a pound of tomatoes, and arrange the slices in your tartlets, seasoning them with salt, pepper and a little finely chopped onion or onion salt. Beat up two eggs with three-quarters of a pint of milk, season with a little salt and pepper and pour over the tomatoes. Sprinkle with grated cheese and bake about 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

This dish would cost you £25

it is called SALMON A LA ROYALE, was prepared by George IV.'s chef.



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THE great Carême was chef to George IV., and every one knows what that monarch's figure was like.

After reading Carême's instructions for salmon a la Royale, every one will understand why it was like it.

The fish being cleaned, throw salt in the inside, and rub some on the outside. Three hours afterwards wash it in several waters, drain, and wipe it, and fill the interior with a stuffing of whiting; keep the fish in its first shape and lay it in a fish-kettle with a mirepoix moistened with two bottles of champagne wine (the head should be tied) and the same quantity of fish-stock.

When it boils cover it with a large waste two bottles on what must have been quite a small salmon if it took let it boil for an hour.

Best side Up

NEATLY remove all the skin from it and glaze the best side with a light fish glaze to which you have added some crayfish butter.

Garnish it with six silver skewers, allow ourselves just four pounds of the best cut, and instead of all that crumbed and fried to a fine colour, half a bottle of ordinary white wine, with gherkins, a fine black truffle, and a crayfish bearing upon its back a fillet of sole inlaid with gherkins.

Rich and Varied

PLACE round the fish a ragout of escallops of eels mixed with livers of burbot and mushrooms in a sauce perigieux (made with rich brown sauce, veal stock, madeira, essence of truffles, and truffles cooked in madeira), to which you have added a large spoonful of the liquor from the salmon, a little glaze, and fresh butter sufficient to render it smooth and rich. Serve some of it also in a sauce-boat.

Well, well, well. One hardly knows which to be sorrier for, the poor fish whose head had to be tied when all that champagne was lying about, or the poor cooks who had to

the liquor from the salmon should be added to the sauce.

The wine could be omitted from the cooking, and a different sauce could be served, made by adding a wineglassful of claret and a teaspoonful of anchovy essence to half a pint of rich brown sauce.

By the way, what about a piece of salmon served perfectly simply with a little of the water in which it was boiled? That, to my mind, is salmon at its most royal.

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1. Remove egg stains on silver or china if applied damp with cold water.

2. Take away the taste from slightly burnt milk if a pinch of it is added.

3. Prevent colours from running when washing coloured articles if a spoonful is added to the rinsing water.

4. Stop the contents of a cracked egg boiling out into the water if a teaspoonful of it is added quickly.

5. Make wicker furniture look like new if scrubbed with salt and water (no soap), as it stiffens the basket work as well as cleaning it.

6. Make brooms and brushes last twice as long if they are soaked in salted water before using.

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April 16, 1937.



Hero Of 10,000 Mile Horseback Dash Will Ride Again

HERO of the 10,000-mile horseback journey from Buenos Aires to Washington, Mr. A. F. Tschiffely is to ride again.

The man who defied fate for 2½ years by crossing the snow-covered Andes, plunging through swamp and jungle, and the terrors of unexplored wilderness, wants more adventure.

"I want to get away from the monotony of life here," he said when a reporter visited him at his London home.

Around him were saddle-bags, bridles, lariats and souvenirs of his wanderings.

He was a great friend of the late R. B. Cunningham-Graham, the famous novelist and adventurer.

BORED WITH TEACHING

When he has finished Cunningham-Graham's biography, on which he is now working, he will be off to South America again to find more thrills.

Starting somewhere South of Bolivia, he will strike for the interior of Patagonia, and take a zig-zag course on horse-back through the tail of the vast continent.

"Chiffy," as Cunningham-Graham called him, recalled the ride which made him famous.

A Swiss by birth, he was for some years a schoolmaster in England. Then he went to Buenos Aires to teach.

"But I got bored with teaching when there was so much to learn," he said.

DISEASE DANGER

"With my two native ponies I reached Washington from Buenos Aires in 2½ years."

"There were many risks, but the worst danger was not from wild animals, but from sickness and disease."

"Curiously enough, the only disease I had was malaria, which I caught in a city!"

"Chiffy" has been busy for three years on his biography of Cunningham-Graham.

Now it is nearly complete. Last week Mr. Tschiffely appeared to friends of Cunningham-Graham for any letters written by him.

NOT SO TOUGH AS HE THOUGHT

New York, May 1.

DOMINICK SAN GIORGIO, aged thirteen, of New York, thought he was tough. He wanted to go to the cinema, and asked his mother for the money, saying when she hesitated that it would be just too bad if it wasn't forthcoming when he returned from school.

But it wasn't. So Dominick whipped out a revolver, ordered his mother back against the wall, and made his twin sister Angelina and his baby brother Joseph put their hands up, too.

"If you don't give me the money I'll shoot all of you," said Dominick. "This isn't a water pistol, it's a loaded gun."

Mother screamed and fainted, so Dominick relented and put his gun away. To-day police arrested him and confiscated the weapon, a .32 calibre revolver, fully charged.



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SHE-KO

Anna May Wong Threatened



Anna May Wong, lovely Chinese film star, recipient of confused messages that threatened death and mutilation. The letters were believed the work of a "movie maniac," according to Captain Clyde Plummer, county investigator of Hollywood. David O. Selznick, movie producer, and others were mentioned. Federal agents went to work.

English Wife Divorced By U.S. Millionaire

New York, May 1.

THE marriage of the multi-millionaire Mr. James Clark and Mrs. Irene Cubitt Clark, which was hailed as "the romance of two great sports lovers," has ended in divorce.

He has received a decree at Reno, alleging "extreme cruelty," and desertion on January 18, 1936. The divorce was granted at a private hearing before Judge Moran.

Mr. Clark, who inherited a fortune from his father, Mr. William J. Clark, a thread manufacturer, of New Jersey, spent his time at Reno in a magnificent ranch outside the city. The suit was uncontested.

Mr. Clark had married first Miss Teresa Fabbri, a descendant of the famous Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt. In 1930 his wife obtained a divorce at Reno on grounds of cruelty.

In 1933 came the announcement of Mr. Clark's intention to wed Lady Cubitt, who was formerly the wife of Major A. E. Cubitt. Their wedding took place at the Savoy Chapel, and Mr. Clark bought a home at Melton Mowbray.

They hunted frequently with the Quorn. In the autumn of 1935 Mr. Clark was injured when his horse fell on top of him. His wife saw the accident and helped to drag him from under the animal.

Ella Shields Tells Of Colonel's Pose In H.K. As Husband

ELLA SHIELDS, world-famous "Burlington Bertie," last night has revealed astonishing episodes in the life of ex-Lieut.-Colonel James Christie, who, already deprived of his rank and his O.B.E. after a gun-running conviction in China, was sentenced to twelve months' jail for fraud at London Sessions recently. Christie was well-known in Hongkong, where he was once a Boxing instructor.

Miss Shields, white-haired, now but still gay and high-spirited, sat in her West End flat recalling her friendship with Colonel Christie. She said:

"I was by Jim Christie's side when King George V. gave him his O.B.E. in the Throne Room at Buckingham Palace.

"I was fond of him. He was a man who stood out from the 500 men who received decorations that day for his dignity and his manliness.

HOW THEY MET

"It was funny the way we met. I was playing Glasgow, doing 'Burlington Bertie,' of course. This was in 1916. Some one asked me to come along to Colonel Christie's party.

"Christie was the perfect host. He had a buffet with every sort of drink in the world there. He never touched a drop himself. We became friends.

"He came to London when I finished my tour. Everybody knew him. He went everywhere—Parties, clubs, into famous homes.

"The war came to an end Christie always lived at the top. No back rooms for him. He went broke. We clubbed together—some quite famous people and I—to give him his passage money out to China. I remember we saw him off at Tilbury.

"He never said an unkind word to me. I have nothing to say against him except this—I was told after he had been out in China that he was using my name as being his wife. For my own sake I had to get my solicitors to write to the Bank of Shanghai.

"I was never married to him and I never had any intention of marrying him."

HE WALKED IN

Miss Shields laughed as she added, "We live in a strange world. About two months ago—sixteen years or more after I saw Christie—I was at the flat of some friends of mine. The door bell rang, and who should walk in—Jim Christie! He was white-haired, but he was the same man.

"I said, 'How do you do?' He was surprised, too, I think. I did not want to renew our friendship.

"For the sake of the past I can't tell you how sorry I am that such a brilliant man has come down to this."

On the outcome of the fight hangs the future of Rumania, whether it goes Fascist or not.

REFUSES TO QUIT

Although Mme. Lupescu won the first round when the prince was stripped of rank—to-day he officially took the name Nicholas Brans—the second round is still open.

The ex-prince remains obstinately installed with his wife and two-year-old boy in his castle at Snagov, near Bucharest, and refuses to obey his brother's wishes to leave the country.

The Iron Guard, who have taken up arms in Nicholas's cause, to-day openly attack Carol and Mme. Lupescu in this proclamation:

"Never has a prince been so treated—a prince who asked only to be left in peace. The only reason against Nicholas is a morganatic marriage."

The king replied by forcing Nicholas to issue this statement: "Because I hear rumours connecting me with political groups and factions which can damage the country, I declare that I have no personal or other sympathy with any political group."

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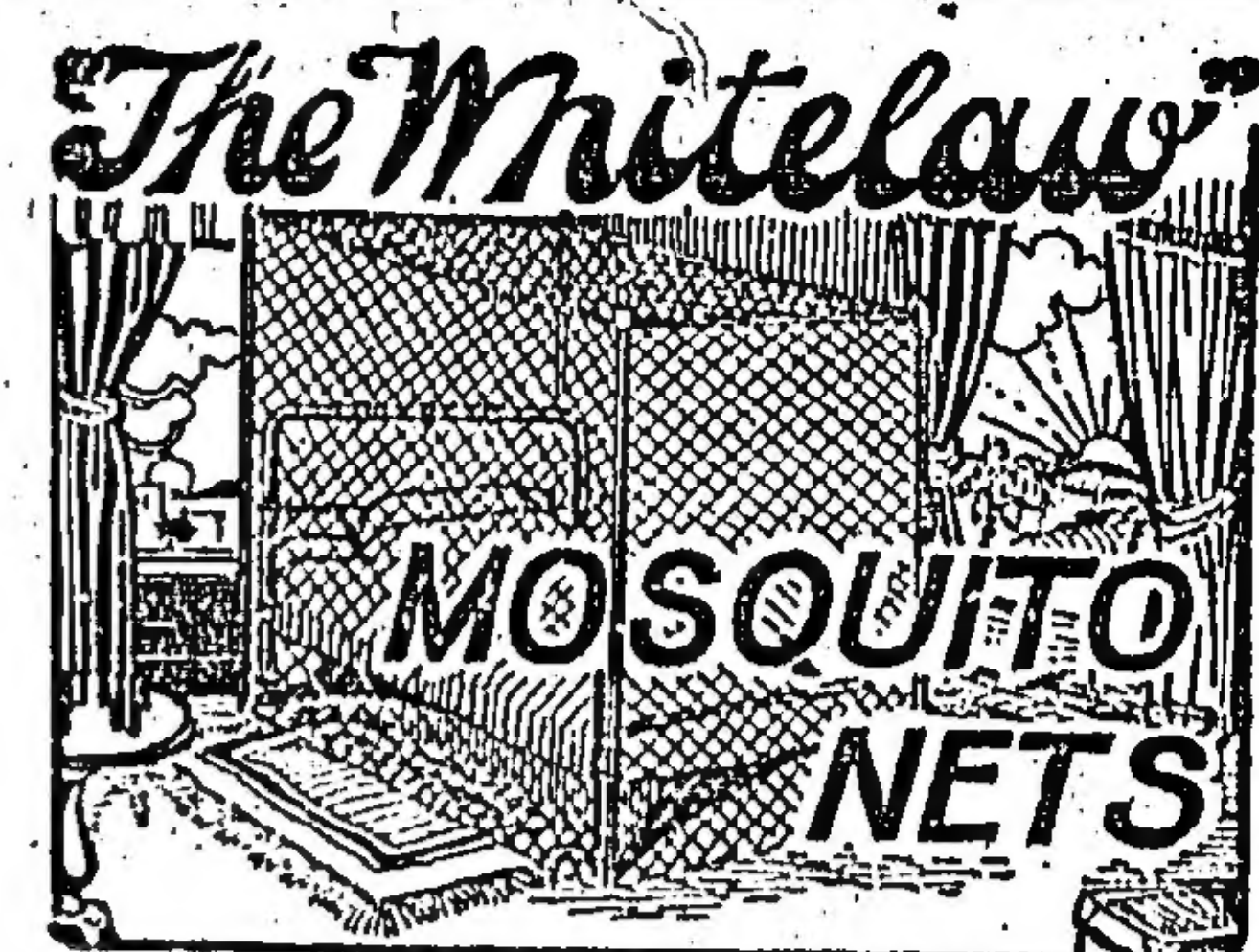
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DODDERING OLD MEN, FLIGHTY WOMEN

Commons Committee Discuss Unjust Wills

"Doddering old men who transfer their affection from their wives to a fluffy piece of goods" were referred to during the further consideration of the Inheritance (Family Provision) Bill by a Standing Committee of the House of Commons.

The Bill, if passed, will enable the Courts to order reasonable provision to be made out of the estate of a testator for a surviving spouse or child for whom the testator has failed to make such provision by will.

Mr. H. Strauss (Con., Norwich) moved a new clause that the Court shall have regard to the testator's reasons for disinheriting and may accept evidence on the matter, and that if the testator leaves a statutory declaration of his reasons it shall be accepted as prima facie evidence.

Mr. Strauss said a child might have been provided for more than once and in such circumstances it might be unjust to others of the family if further provision were made for the child.

Captain Dower (Con., Cockermouth) said he considered that the acceptance of this clause would remove a great deal of anxiety for many people who seem to think that this Bill is designed to deal with dod-

dering old men who transfer their affection from their wives—who have acted as a hot water bottle for 50 years—to a fluffy, flighty piece of goods. (Laughter.)

THE CAREER OF A PRODIGAL SON

He related the case of a man whose son went to the Riviera and "blew" most of the money which he had been given. With what remained, the son

bought a racing car which was responsible for the death of a person in a poor part of London.

"You would have thought that this would have sobered the young man," Captain Dower said, "but it did not, and the father has made a will leaving his money to a hospital."

The clause was agreed to.

PARENTS WHO BECOME "CRANKY"

Mrs. Tate (Con., Frome) moved an amendment to exclude from the Bill a married daughter or child of 21 years or over unless permanently incapacitated from earning a livelihood.

She said that a man or woman who had brought up children to the age of 21 or maturity had the right to decide whether or not further provision should be made.

Miss Rathbone (Ind., English Universities) expressed surprise that such a good friend of the Bill should have proposed such an amendment. She considered that it would allow some of the hardest cases of injustice to continue.

As examples, she mentioned daughters who had given up their lives to looking after elderly parents and younger brothers and sisters, and were nevertheless cut out of the will of parents who in their old age, became cranky and expressed a preference for some other member of the family.

Mrs. Tate withdrew the amendment and the committee stage was concluded.

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10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Also, The Aerated Water Department will be OPEN for DELIVERIES all day. Phone Nos. 20419 and 24914.
Hongkong, 11th May, 1937.

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Notice to Shareholders.

The Fifty-Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Tuesday, the 18th May, 1937, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1936.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 4th to the 18th May, 1937, both days inclusive.

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Hongkong, 27th April, 1937.

NOTICE.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in Exchange Building, Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, 22ND MAY, 1937, at 12.00 noon.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 10TH MAY to 22ND MAY, 1937, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. W. BROWN,

Manager.
Hongkong, 7th May, 1937.

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NOTICE.

Traffic Arrangements during Coronation Celebrations.

11th May. Inaugural processions will be held in the City of Victoria from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. in various main roads and side streets between Caino Road level and the Praya and west of Pedder Street. All vehicular traffic should make detours to avoid contact with these processions.

12th May. Review at Happy Valley. Owner drivers should park at Morrison Hill, opposite the Civil Service Cricket Club, and walk to the ground. Village Road also will be available as a car park.

Gloucester Road will be entirely closed to vehicular traffic from 6.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.

Cathedral Service. Motorists will not be allowed to park in the Cathedral compound.

Cars should be parked in the new park at the Lower Peak Tram Station or behind the new P.W.D. offices.

Government House Reception. Murray Parade ground will be available as a general car park for all cars.

The following car parks will be reserved for owner drivers:—

Park opposite Helena May Institute, Kennedy Road.

Park behind the new P.W.D. offices.

14th May. Scout and Guide Rally, Happy Valley. Cars should be parked at Morrison Hill car park, opposite Civil Service Cricket Club. A few cars can be accommodated near the Football Club Pavilion.

Ball at Hong Kong Club. Cars should be parked in Statue Square and in Chater Road between Queen Victoria Statue and Murray Road. No cars will be allowed to park in Connaught Road between Murray Road and Pottinger Street.

Kennedy Road will be open to light vehicular traffic on the 12th, 13th and 14th of May.

Routes of Chinese processions on May the 12th, 13th and 14th, should be carefully studied by motorists. Complete stoppages of vehicular traffic on these routes for considerable periods are bound to occur. Motorists are warned to avoid the routes.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Through the courtesy of His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, Murray Parade ground has been made available as a general car park between the hours of 6 p.m. and 4 a.m. on May 12, 13 and 14. On May 12 and 13, the following car parks will be closed to motorists between 6 p.m. and 4 a.m.:—

(a) The whole of Connaught Road Central between Murray Road and Pottinger Street.

(b) The whole of Statue Square and Wardley Street.

(c) The whole of Jackson Road.

(d) Chater Road between Ico House Street and Jackson Road.

On May 14th.

(a) Connaught Road between Murray Road and Pottinger Street.

(Sd.) T. H. KING,
Inspector General of Police.

BANK HOLIDAY.

In accordance with Government Ordinance, the Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of public business on Wednesday, the 12th May, 1937. (Coronation Day).

Hongkong, 8th May, 1937.

Shipping Intelligence

Shipping Companies are requested to forward, as early as possible information regarding arrivals, departures, time and mooring place and other movements. Urgent information should be telephoned to the shipping Editor, Phone 26515.

PORT DIRECTORY

ATLANTIC GULF (Bailey), Bailey Dock.

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CHAKSANG (J.M.), Kowloon Dock.

FU LONG (Master), Yaumatei Dock.

GRAYSTONE CASTLE (Doddwell), Taikeo Dock.

HAI HANG (Douglas), B.12.

HEIYO MARU (N.Y.K.), Kowloon Dock.

HOKUROKU MARU (O.S.K.), A.10.

KAYING (H. & S.), Kowloon Bay.

KINRYO MARU (M.B.K.), Kowloon Dock.

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MINCHOW (H. & S.), Stonecutters.

NANKAI MARU (O.S.K.), A.7.

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ORINE (K. Larsen), Kowloon Dock.

PORTHOS (J.M.), Kowloon Wharf.

SEKHO MARU (M.B.K.), B.25.

STANLEY (Shun, Cheong), Kwong Wing Wharf.

SUBANG (J.M.), Kowloon Dock.

TAI LEE (Yee Tai Hong), Yaumatei.

TAI PO SEK (Tai Fung Hong), B.1.

TONGER (Doddwell), B.25.

YONGHONG (H. & S.), Taikeo Dock.

YUNNANG (J.M.), Kowloon Dock.

YU PING (Yuen On), B.6.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

CHAKSANG (J.M.) from Canton, 7.30 a.m., Kowloon Dock, 30311.

PROMINENT (J.M.) from Shanghai, 10.15 a.m., West Point Wharf, 30311.

TILAWA (P. & O.) from Amoy, 5.30 p.m., Kowloon Wharf, 27721.

WING WAH (Tai Fung) from Hoihow, 8.20 a.m., Stonecutters, 26076.

SAILED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

ANHUI (H. & S.) for Amoy, 5 p.m., West Point, 30331.

CHENGCTU (H. & S.) for Saigon, 5 a.m., C.2, 30311.

KWANGCHOW (H. & S.) for Hoihow, 3 p.m., West Point, 30331.

PROMINENT (J.M.) for Canton, 7 p.m., West Point Wharf, 30311.

ARRIVING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

GOLDEN DRAGON (States) from Europe, daylight, Stonecutters, 30371.

NORVIKEN (J.M.) from Shanghai, 6.30 a.m., West Point Wharf, 30311.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN (Dollar) from Shanghai, 8 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 28171.

TAIPEI (H. & S.) from Australia, a.m., Hoihow Wharf, 30331.

TALMA (H. L.) from Singapore, 1 p.m., Kowloon Wharf, 27721.

TJIBADAK (J.C.J.L.) from Straits, 8.30 p.m., midstream, 28015.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

2.35 p.m. The News and Announcements.

2.45 p.m. A Recital of Songs by Australian Composers, Arnold Maters (Australian Ballads).

2.55 p.m. 'In Town Tonight', A Coronation Edition of this popular programme, introducing visitors from overseas who are now in London.

Transmission 2

(G.S.B., G.S.F., G.S.H.)

6.45 p.m. Big Ben. 'Along the Route of the Coronation Procession'. A talk by Thomas Woodroffe, one of the BBC observers who will describe the Coronation Processions on May 12.

7 p.m. The New Victoria Cinema Orchestra.

7.50 p.m. A Violoncello Recital by Cedric Sharp.

7.55 p.m. Talk: Behind the Scenes at the Coronation—2.

8.15 p.m. The International Staff Band of the Salvation Army, conductor, Colonel G. W. F. Fuller.

9 p.m. 'In Town Tonight', A Coronation Edition of the popular programme, introducing visitors from overseas who are now in London.

9.20 p.m. British Light Music.

9.30 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 9.45 p.m.

Transmission 3

(G.S.B., G.S.F., G.S.H.)

10.15 p.m. Big Ben. 'World Affairs'. A talk by H. Wickham Steed.

10.30 p.m. The Labany Society, directed by Billy Hobson.

11 p.m. 'Along the Route of the Coronation Procession'. A talk by Thomas Woodroffe, one of the BBC observers who will describe the Coronation Processions on May 12.

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HAITAN (Douglas) for Swatow, 4 p.m., Douglas Wharf, 23937.

NORVIKEN (J.M.) for Canton, 8 p.m., West Point Wharf, 30311.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN (Dollar) for Manila, midnight, Kowloon Wharf, 28171.

TJINEGARA (J.C.J.L.) for Java, 10 a.m., midstream, 28015.

YATSHING (J.M.) for Canton, 2 a.m., B.8, 30311.

ARRIVING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

CORFU (P. & O.) from Singapore, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 27721.

EMPEROR OF CANADA (C.P.S.) from Manila, 7 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 24049.

ISLAMI (J.M.) from Calcutta, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 30311.

ODDER (Melchers) from Europe, a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 2771.

PROMINENT (J.M.) from Canton, 7 a.m., B.2, 30311.

RHEINLAND (Jebens) from Straits, a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 26071.

TAIYUAN (H. & S.) from Canton, a.m., West Point, 30331.

SAILING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)

ASAMA MARU (N.Y.K.) for America, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 30291.

CHEKIANG (H. & S.) for Swatow, 10 a.m., West Point, 30331.

HELOS (Thornhill) for Swatow, a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 20237.

PROMINENT (J.M.) for Shanghai, 4 p.m., B.2, 30311.

SEITAN (Douglas) for Amoy, 4 p.m., Douglas Wharf, 23937.

TILAWA (B.I.) for Calcutta, a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 27721.

VESSELS DUE

AENEAS (H. & S.), May 25.

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DANMARK (E.A.C.), May 16.

DAVIDSON (J.L.), May 10.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN (C.P.S.), June 4.

EMPEROR OF RUSSIA (C.P.S.), May 20.

FERNHILL (Jebens), May 28.

FOOSHING (J.M.), May 18.

DEMODOCUS (H. & S.), May 17.

GENERAL PERSHING (States), May 21.

GNEISENAU (Melchers), May 13.

GRETE MAERSK (Jebens), May 31.

HAVEL (Melchers), May 17.

IRISAN (J.M.), May 10.

HOSANG (J.M.), May 17.

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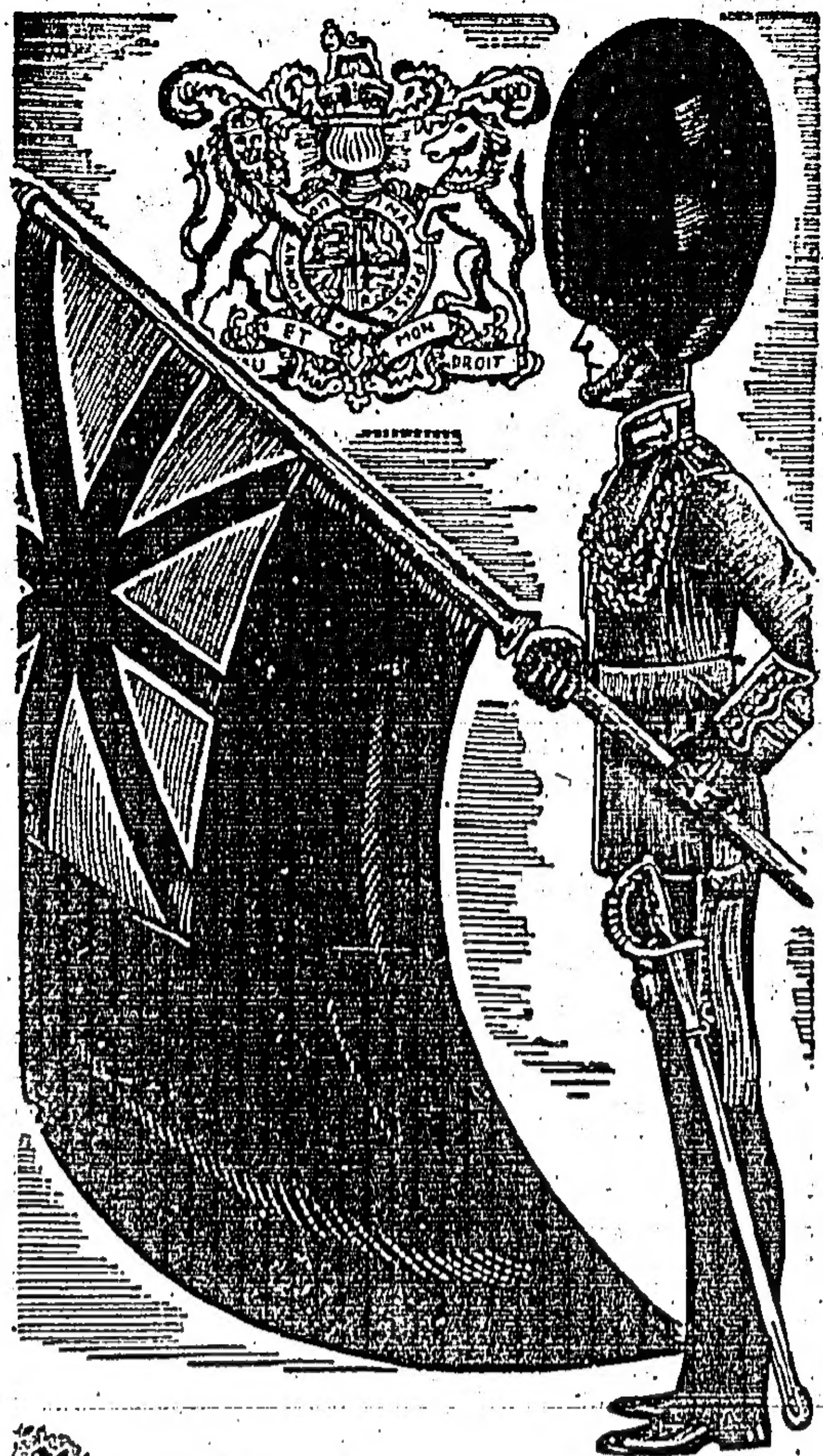
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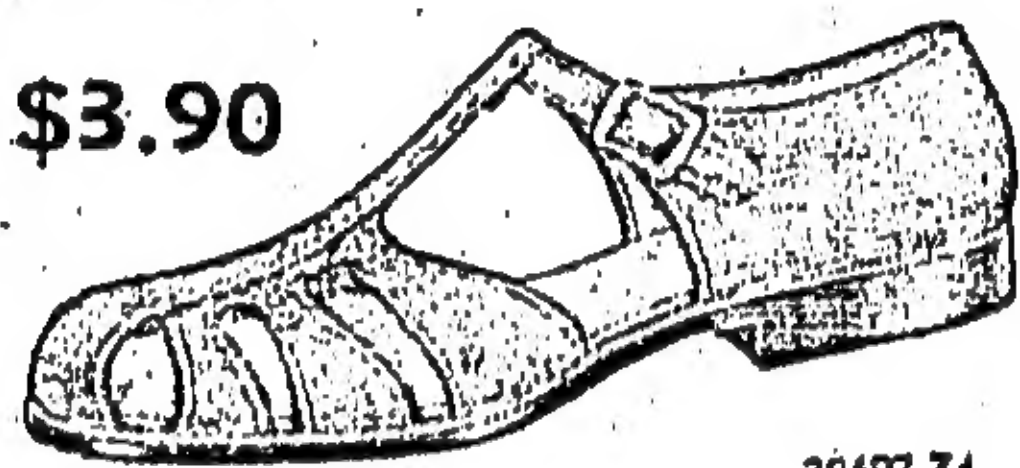
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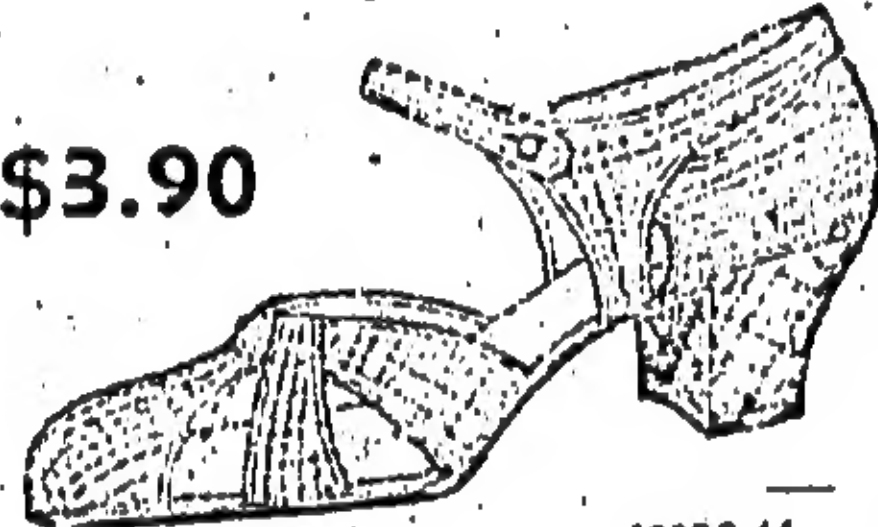


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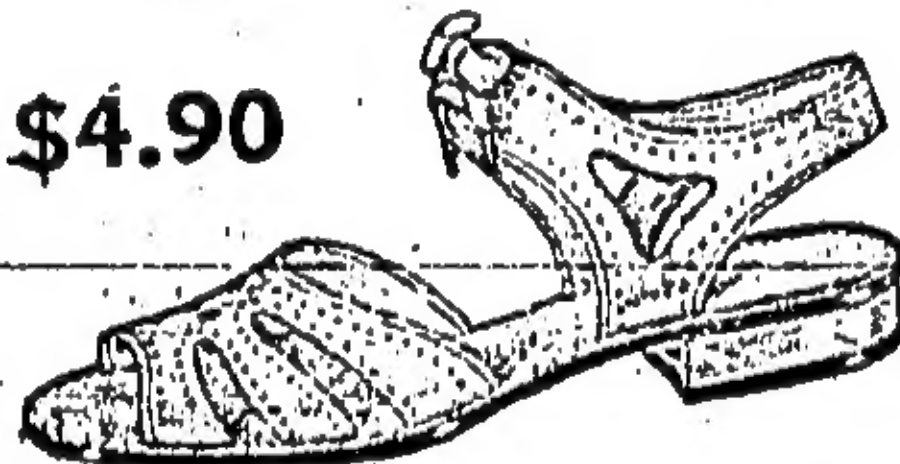
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CINEMA NOTES

"Song of China," which opens at the Queen's Theatre to-day, is unique in that it is the first feature motion picture ever made in the Orient that has been adjudged worthy of popular American consumption. Hitherto the extent of the showings of the Chinese importations have been the "China towns" of the nation. Douglas MacLean, once famous comedian of the screen, and now a producer for one of the leading motion picture companies, saw "Song of China" while travelling through the Orient several months ago. He was so intrigued with its dignity, charm and true beauty, that he immediately entered into negotiations with Lo Ming-yu, the director-producer of the film, for the world rights. Told with great simplicity and restraint that is characteristic of the ancient nation, the story reflects the conflict between the old and new social customs and standards, and the breaking down of the traditional Chinese heritage by Western civilization. Drawn from the deep storehouse of her wisdom, this is the finest expression of the art and philosophy of a nation little known. It remained for the motion picture as a medium to convey this understanding of the soul of a people, too long hidden away from the Occidentals.

"Espionage" Edmund Lowe and Madge Evans are the leading players in "Espionage," a new and unusually intriguing film at the King's Theatre to-day, produced by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. The story combines the blend of international intrigue and romance this is making headlines throughout the world to-day. A munitions maker vanishes and two opposition reporters are assigned to find him. One is a girl, the other a man, they meet on a train speeding away from Paris, each unaware that the other is a rival for the story. The millionaire is aboard and the story awaits the better of the two reporters. Before they close down on the news of the case, the pair are in love, drawn together in the rush of a very dangerous adventure. Lowe and Miss Evans play their roles effectively and a supporting cast provides first rate background. It includes Paul Lukas, Ketti Gallian, Skeels Gallagher, Frank Reicher, William Gilbert, Robert Graves, Leonid Kinsky, Mitchell Lewis and Charles Truog. Kurt Neumann's direction is clever and fast-paced.

"China Clipper" No more thrilling drama of the air has come to the screen than First National's "China Clipper" showing at the Oriental Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday. A tribute to the vision, ingenuity and courage of the men who battled not only storm and fog, but the timidity and prejudice of capitalistic interests, to establish long distance air lines "China Clipper" is a brilliant chapter in the pictorial history of daring aviation. Although fictitious as to characters and plot, Commander Frank Weed's screen play is based on fundamental facts. It is realistic in the extreme and thoroughly accurate, William L. Van Dusen, of the Pan American Airways, having served as technical advisor. The exterior scenes were largely filmed right at the air base of the famous China Clipper that recently began its flight from the Pacific Coast to the Philippine Islands, the giant trans-oceanic ship itself having a prominent part in the picture.

"Conflict" Replete with high adventure and fast action, Universal's "Conflict," starring John Wayne and featuring lovely Jean Rogers in the feminine lead, opens at the Alhambra Theatre to-day. Based on the Jack London novel, "The Abysmal Brute," the picture is a robust and roaring story of two brawny battlers who settle their own differences and at the same time end a bitter feud between two lumber camps. "Conflict" tells the story of a farmer boy (John Wayne) who becomes embroiled with Knock-out Carrigan (Ward Bond) when the pugilist comes to the little town of Springfield, California, offering to pay any man \$1,000 if he can stay in the ring with him for four rounds. Carrigan runs a betting syndicate and his fights are faked. When he knocks out Pat in a fight on which a number of townspeople have bet money, Maude Sangster (Jean Rogers) is sent by a San Francisco newspaper to investigate the racket. Pat moves on to a lumber camp at Cedar City, where he meets Maude and rescues an 11-year-old orphan boy from drowning. Tommy (Tommy Bupp), the lad he saved, is adopted by Pat, and the boy grows to adore the brawny, two-fisted lumberman.

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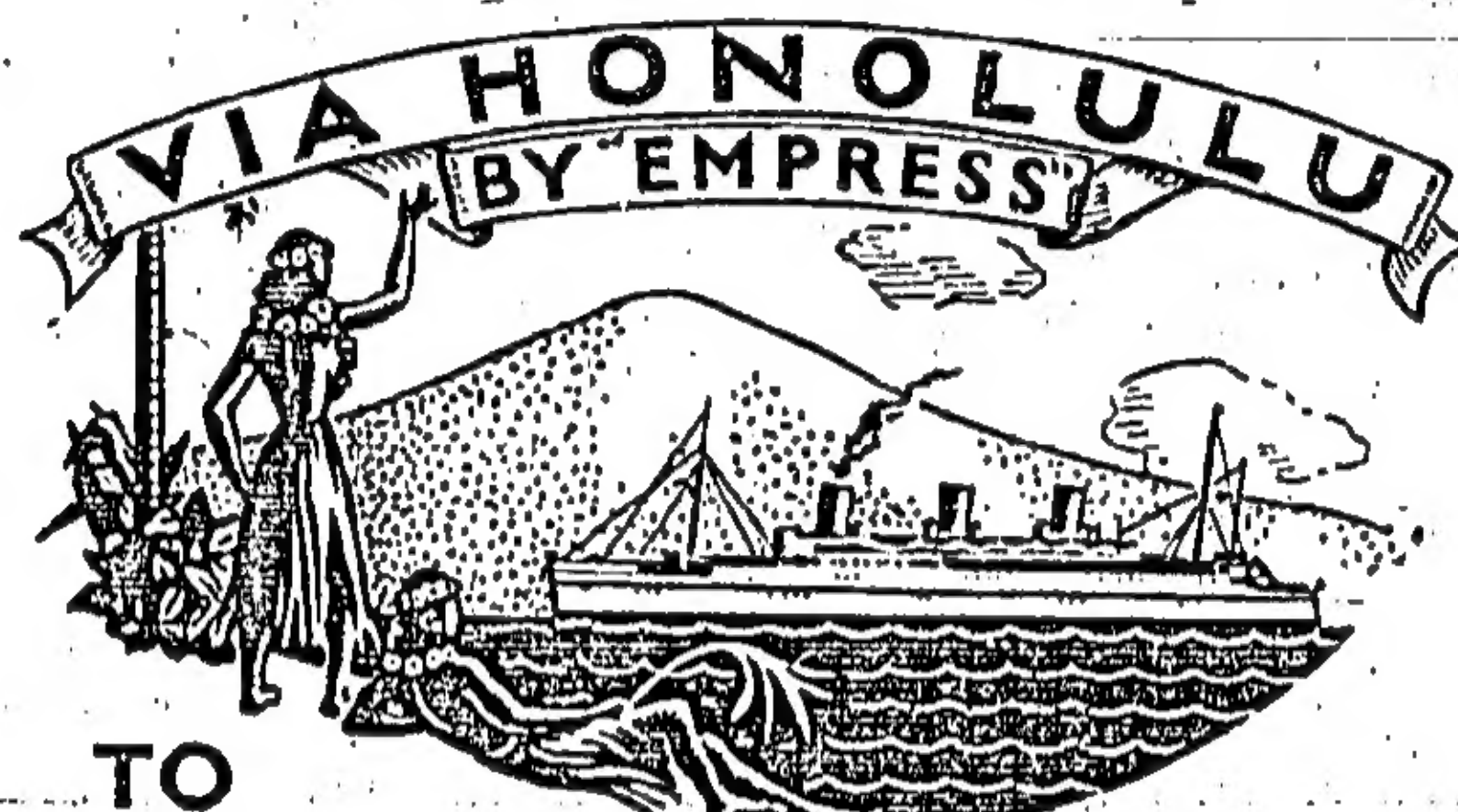
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THE STRAIN OF MODERN LIFE

One of the reasons put forward on behalf of the London bus strikers for a shorter working day was the stress and strain caused by the speeding up of traffic in the city. Apart altogether from the merits or demerits of the strike, there can be no questioning the fact that busmen, like all other workers, whether engaged in manual labour or not, feel the extra strain thrust upon them by modern conditions of life. Every generation, however, has regarded itself as being harder worked than the people of other days. None the less, it is a fact that almost everybody to-day enjoys more leisure and spends more time in recreation and amusement. It is equally true that many of the irksome duties of the past are now performed by machinery, the tending of which, however, may itself impose fresh strains on the worker. Certain it is that our forebears worked longer hours for less pay than the average workman of to-day. When we come to look closely into this question, we find that a great deal of the stress of modern life is self-imposed—the result of restlessness and the constant search for new distractions. In a recent survey of industrial and social conditions during the past half-century, Mr. Stanley Baldwin remarked that nervous breakdowns were not recognised in the old days. That is not to say that nervous illness did not exist. But if there has been an increase in nervousness in recent years, it may be due in part to failure to use wisely the greatly increased leisure, to a decline of physical fitness because of our more intense civilisation, to the indoor life that so many of us lead, and to the general disregard of moderation in all things and of the necessity of ordering our lives so that physical and mental wear and tear may be minimised. The campaigns by most Governments for the encouragement of physical fitness may, if the public responds as it should, have beneficial effects in offsetting the tendencies of modern life, but it is beyond question that there still remains a wide field for exploration in the problems produced by modern methods of living. Yet, whilst Governments can do much, it is to the individual that we must look if present evils are to be

WHEN KING GEORGE IV WAS CROWNED

ARRAYED "according to the orders in the Gazette" in "full evening costume (except lowcut dresses)" with white gloves and fan, Miss Fry sets off with her friends at 2.30 a.m.

The first letter, dated from Plashet, "seventh month, 23, 1821," describes the party—"Chenda, John and John Gurney under my immediate care, and Sam Hoare with his tutor, Mr. Davis"—and continues:

We arrived at our place of destination: a sort of large platform (or gallery), with seats raised one above the other. The few lower tiers divided into boxes like a theatre. This gallery was outside the western end of the Abbey. There was a roof to keep us from the weather; and the whole was lined with scarlet cloth, with draperies in front of the same. Underneath were good retiring and refreshment rooms, with every sort of convenience and comfort.

Our view was capital, but to give any idea of it you must study a sketch I took about six in the morning.

Seventh month 24th. The platform on which the King was to walk was under us; it was lined by a single row of infantry, who had been sleeping all night on their posts, and were not yet awake, each poor fellow with his knapsack under his head.

About five o'clock the sun rose in cloudless splendour above the houses, and then threw a beautiful glowing light on some angles of the grey stone of the Abbey. The bells of it, and the neighbouring churches, rang forth their peals. The Park and the Tower guns fired a salute; the bands played "God Save the King," and the day seemed to have begun in earnest.

It was with great good humour, and order; the poor soldiers began here and there to sit or stand, and eat their breakfasts out of their knapsacks; many of the officers now paraded the platform, and all was life and bustle.

At six o'clock our attention was roused by a great and confused cry; a mixture of cheers and groans, but in which the latter predominated. It was the Queen's carriage with its gay Royal liveries, seen making its way to the Abbey.

At half-past six our party went down to breakfast, but were soon disturbed by a loud and continued yell: the most horrid noise I ever heard. We ran up to our places, and found that Her Majesty foiled in her attempt at one door was going to try to gain admittance at another, and was passing among the people and the soldiers, between our gallery and the Royal platform.

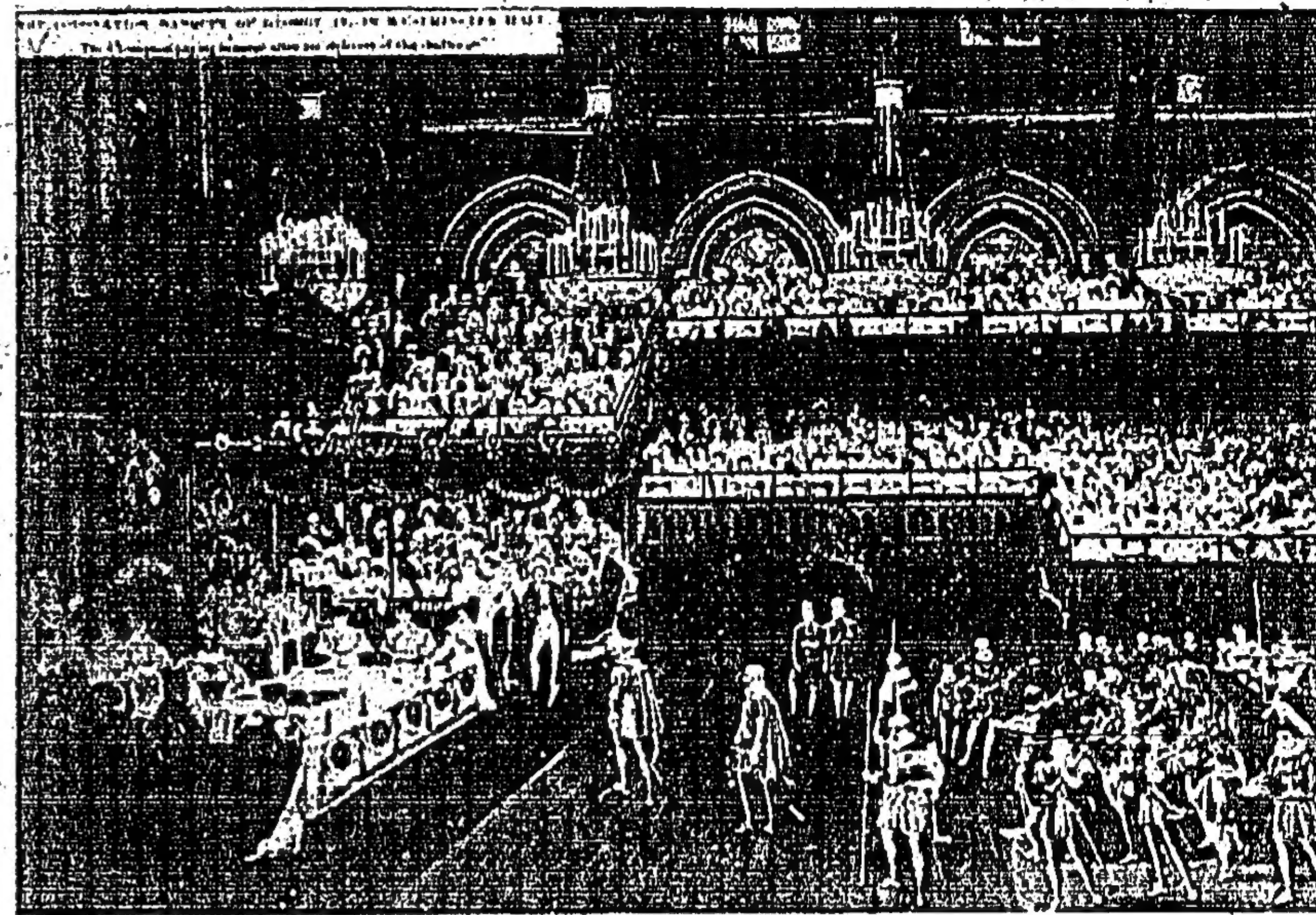
A few of the lowest mob tried to cheer her, but all the rest of the world hissed and groaned in the most tremendous manner, and the mob finding which way the tide was going joined it. Excepting this, all was quiet the whole day.

At that time (eight o'clock) the soldiers were got under arms, and the Dean and Chapter of Westminster came out of the west door in grand procession, and proceeded along the platform to Westminster Hall to meet the King with the Regalia which they carried on velvet cushions. The Dean carried the Crown. The Probataries, the Cross of Gold, the Sceptre, the Globe, and the Dove, &c. They were followed by the Canons and Chorists, with books in their hands. The whole effect was truly Roman Catholic, and unlike reformed England especially as their copes were made exactly like those formerly worn by abbots, and other high ecclesiastics.

The guns fired at the same time; and announced that the overcome—and there can be no better approach to the issue than a general determination to make-wise and healthy use of the hours which we have to spare when the day's work is done.

Letters from Katharine Fry, a Quaker girl, to her sister Rachel describe the Coronation procession of King George IV — the last of the "walking processions" — which she watched from a seat outside the west door of Westminster Abbey. The following passages give an amusing record of her observations.

The invitation to join the privileged party came through the "kindness of Uncle Buxton" — Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton, prominent at this time in the suppression of the slave trade. Miss Fry in 1875 compiled a remarkable Buxton family history, from which the following letters are quoted, by the courtesy of Major H.F. Buxton, of Ware.



The Coronation Banquet of King George IV at Westminster Hall.

Serving the first course

King had entered Westminster Hall. About eleven o'clock the soldiers were again got under arms. A second gun fired; the procession had left the hall. The universal cry from the back seats was "Down! Down!" "Hats off," "We cannot see!" In a few seconds the Herb Woman and her Maids were indistinctly seen to the left, coming slowly towards us, with a good deal of stage effect in their action in throwing the flowers (rose leaves).

Miss Fellows herself was dressed in a plain white satin gown, the body fitting tightly to her fine figure; over it a scarlet mantle lined with white, fastened on each shoulder and confined into a peak behind at the bottom of the waist. Its effect was extremely novel and elegant. She held a small gold wire basket lined with satin, from which she scattered flowers, and when it wanted filling turned round and it was replenished by her attendants from their more ample supplies. These attendants were six young girls of our own age, carrying a large basket between two; these also were of gold wire, in shape and size like clothes baskets. Three baskets in all....

These being the only women in the procession, and coming first, attracted a great attention and interest, and were received with much applause. When the Herb Woman reached the Abbey door, and the Canons of Westminster were under our gallery, the procession stopped and all the bands struck up a thundering "God Save the King." A dead silence followed. Then the Canons and Chorists began to sing that fine anthem, "Let us go into the House of God in Company," and the procession moved gently forward.

[Miss Fry here remarks on the beauty of the costumes of the Knights-Grand-Cross-of-the-Order-of-the-Bath.] The Peers did not look well; their crimson velvet robes, and quantity of ermine, had no drapery, looked heavy and but little displayed the silver tissue dresses they wore underneath; at the same time they looked splendid and noble.

The gayest and most gaudy dresses were the Gentlemen of the Privy Chamber, in purple satin slashed with orange colour, black hats and red feathers, and looked really ugly, though sumptuous.

The King, wearing his black hat and white feathers, looked very much like a picture of Henry VIII. His train was borne by several pages in gold tissue dresses; among others I recognised Lord Rockingham. The whole was closed by the jolly Beefeaters.

The procession was about an hour and a half passing. At half-past three all was again life and bustle, and resumed its former appearance.

The procession was soon seen slowly to emerge from the Abbey door and to retrace its steps, again passing in review under us. They all now wore their hats, or coronets, and the King his Crown; he also carried the ensigns of Royalty, sceptre, globe, &c. looked truly kingly, affable and pleasing; but also too much like a King in a penny picture.

In a postscript Miss Fry with something like a note of regret remarks that the procession "is said to have fallen far short of that of King George III. in consequence of the absence of the Queen and Peers."

"Queen Caroline to whom the King had refused permission to attend the Coronation.

WHAT THEY SAY

I consider an egg new laid up to seven days. After that it becomes a fresh egg. It may be in a new laid condition some time after. It depends on the condition of the egg when it is laid. —Poultry Expert.

A fool cannot enter a room or go out, sit down or stand up or keep quiet like an intelligent man. —Moliere.

To-day the cinema is a bigger gambling than horse-racing. Thank Heaven, I am not a matinee idol, for my popularity would have gone long ago. —Film Actor H. B. Warner.

There is nothing in life more objectionable than a man who devotes many hours a day merely to attaining physical fitness. —Aneurin Bevan, M.P.

By robbing life of its wonder at school we have created a generation of escapists, people who seek in crowds, cinemas, dances, military organisations, some even in churches, to shake a thirst that cannot be satisfied in that manner. It can only be satisfied by learning the art of living. —T. F. Coade, Headmaster, Brynstone School.

You gotta have music. Strip-teasing without music ain't art. —New York Show Girl.

"If a beating damages a boy's mental make-up for six weeks, then I fear all the English public schools must be full of potential nervous wrecks. —Dr. P. G. Bantiff, Jersey Prison Medical Officer.

When a stupid man is doing something he is ashamed of, he always declares that it is his duty. —G. B. Shaw.

If things were seen as they truly are, the beauty of bodies would be much abridged. —Sir Thomas Browne.

When I see a beautiful young woman walking into a restaurant, perfectly dressed, but with a cigarette in her mouth, it is not that I object to her smoking, but I do think that in such circumstances it detracts from her appearance and her good taste. —Sir Walter Glibbey.

It is at last possible to answer the question of how civilisation emerged. It is fairly certain that, as we understand it, it began in Iran between 8000 and 5000 B.C. —A. V. Pope, President of American Institute for Persian Art and Archaeology.

"The real cause of this parking trouble in London is, I think, due to laziness on the part of people who will not take the train. They think they must jump into their cars at

their houses, and be carried straight to the doors of their offices." —Sir George Broadbridge, Lord Mayor of London.

I deal at times with 5,000 letters of complaint a week. —U.S. Film Censor, Joseph I. Breen.

I am not impressed by the biceps built on bread without butter. I reject, as worthless the tape measure as evidence of physical fitness which will survive prolonged strain. —R. J. Fatten, President of National Union of Teachers.

The Boy Scout idea is a net set to catch the world in Anglo-Saxon Kultur. —Munich paper "Neueste Nachrichten."

Democracies are like quicksand, while our political systems are like granite. —Mussolini.

I like a woman who stays at home. I do not believe in women having a career. When I come into power I shall encourage women having jobs when they are married. —Leon Degrelle.

We are governed by a Civil Service which has such enormous power that its regulations are taking the place of the laws of England, though some of them are made for the common people. (Continued on Page 4.)

LOCAL HONOURS

HON. MR. N. L. SMITH
GETS C.M.G.KNIGHTHOOD FOR
MR. V. M. GRAYBURN

The following communiqué from Government House announcing the awards was issued to the Press yesterday evening:

"His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the following Honours on the occasion of His Majesty's Coronation:

"His Excellency Mr. Norman Lockhart Smith to be a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George;

"Mr. Vandeleur Molyneux Grayburn to be a Knight Bachelor;

"Mr. Dudley Leonard King to be an Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Civil Division);

"Captain Henry Westlake, D.C.M., to be a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Military Division);

"Mrs. Jessie Mary King to be a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Civil Division)."

HON. MR. N. L. SMITH

The honour which has come to the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith will be acclaimed by all sections of the community as thoroughly deserved, his service with the local Government being a long and distinguished one. Educated at Sedburgh, and continuing at Queen's College, Oxford, where he took his B.A. degree in 1910, the Hon. Mr. Smith was appointed, that same year, to be a Cadet Officer in the Hongkong Civil Service, and arrived here in January, 1911, being then 24 years of age. He served in turn in the posts of Assistant District Officer (North), Assistant Registrar General, Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk of Councils, and First Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, passing his law examination in December 1913.

Except for two months in 1914 when he was seconded to act as British Consul at Shanghai, he next served in the local Post Office, being Acting Postmaster General towards the end of 1915. From 1916 to 1919 he was on military service, being first with the Northumberland Fusiliers and later with a Chinese Labour Battalion, to which he was appointed owing to his knowledge of Cantonese.

On his return to Hongkong, the Hon. Mr. Smith was appointed, among other posts, to be a Police Magistrate, and in 1921 was made Superintendent of Imports and Exports. His next senior post was as head of the Sanitary Department in 1924, and in 1925, during the big strike, he was appointed Food Controller.

In 1928 he was appointed Postmaster General, and after a spell in the Colonial Secretariat, was made Director of Education in 1933. The following year, having become a Cadet Officer Class I in the meantime, he was made Secretary for Chinese Affairs, and concurrently a Member of the Legislative and Executive Councils.

In 1935, when acting as Colonial Secretary, he had to take on the duties of Officer Administering the Government, owing to the illness of Sir Thomas Southern, then O.A.G., from the middle of September to the end of October.

The Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith was appointed to the post of Colonial Secretary in June last year, while on Home leave, and since Sir Andrew Caldecott's departure has been Officer Administering the Government.

SIR V. M. GRAYBURN

Sir V. M. Grayburn, who is 58 years of age, began his banking career in the private house of Messrs. Leatham, Tew, and Company of Wakefield and Pontefract, subsequently absorbed by Barclay's Bank.

He entered the service of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in 1901, and left England for Shanghai on December 16, 1904. Since that time he has served in many capacities in several of the Bank's branches in Malaya, India and the Far East. His appointment as Chief Manager of the head office in Hongkong came in March 1933.

He is a keen rugger enthusiast, and played centre-three-quarters for Shanghai in the Interport match against Peking in 1907. He also figured in inter-Club matches in the Colony in 1912 and 1913. His recreations to-day, when he finds the time, are tennis and golf.

Sir V. M. Grayburn, as head of the leading Far Eastern banking house, holds a responsible position which could not have fallen on more worthy shoulders. His work in connection with the Colony's critical financial period, when dollar stabilisation was effected, will always stand as one of the biggest achievements of his career.

He now holds the distinction, with the late Sir Thomas Jackson, of being knighted while serving as Chief Manager in the East.

MR. D. L. KING

Mr. D. L. King, who left the Colony last year on retirement, was for several years Deputy Superintendent of the Hongkong Police Reserve and was extremely popular with all sections.

He was for some years Manager and Secretary of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd., his work in the Police Reserve, which body he practically built up to its present high state of efficiency, has evidently been considerably recognised with the conferment of the present honour.

CAPT. H. WESTLAKE

Capt. H. Westlake joined the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps

BUSMEN
CONTINUE
STRIKEMiners Strike Now
Called For May 29Compromise Talks
All Fruitless

London, May 10.

Coronation plans and the great London traffic problem have not been allowed to affect the calculations of the London bus strikers, who stubbornly refuse to settle. A conference of busmen's delegates to-day rejected the Transport Board's offer of compromise by 47 votes to 3. It decided to continue the strike and referred to the Executive Council the question of extending the walk-out to other services.

The industrial peace outlook deteriorated as a result of the busmen's decision and the announcement that the coal mine dispute was far from finished.

When the busmen's meeting concluded, Mr. Ernest Bevin, their leader, stated that the busmen overwhelmingly rejected the Transport Board's offer and had decided to continue their strike.

There are now prospects of a prolonged stoppage, and the additional danger of 12,000 tram and trolleybus workers joining, Mr. Bevin points out.

ALL EFFORTS FRUITLESS

Efforts of the Minister of Mines to end the colliery dispute at Haworth also have proved fruitless, as the Nottingham colliery owners and the local trade union have declined to agree to an unconditional meeting with representatives of the Miners' Federation, which is insisting that the Notts union become affiliated with it.

The Federation thereupon decided to tender notices on Saturday for a strike on May 29.—Reuter.

U.S. SHIPPING
MAN PASSESFOUNDED AMERICAN
MAIL LINE

Pacific coast shipping circles have suffered a heavy loss by the death of Mr. A. F. Haines, Vice-President and General Manager of the American Mail Line, which occurred at Seattle on Sunday. News of the sad event was received by cable by the local office this morning.

The late Mr. Haines founded the American Mail Line and was instrumental in developing its Oriental services. He had been ill for some considerable time, and although his death was not unexpected, the news will be received with the utmost regret by all who enjoyed his friendship.

The funeral is taking place in Seattle to-day.

AERODROME GIFT
TO EMPIRESULTAN'S CORONATION
GIFT APPROVED

London, May 10.

It is officially announced that the Government has received with warm approval the offer of the Sultan of Kelantan to commemorate the Coronation of King George VI by allocating a site for an aerodrome at Kolihbarah, with funds to provide for its maintenance.—Reuter.

In April, 1922, as Corps Sergeant Major, and in May, 1930, was promoted to the rank of Honorary Lieutenant and Quarter Master of the Corps. In January, 1930, he was made a Captain.

None of the ex-Volunteers who have passed through his hands can fail to pay tribute to his sterling work and efficiency, and his fellow officers in the Corps will probably never find a more conscientious or worthy colleague. With a distinguished Regular Army service, including war service, behind him, Captain Westlake when Sergeant Major brought a sense of discipline and smartness to the parade ground which was reflected in many ways in all sections of the Volunteers. His is certainly a well deserved honour.

MRS. T. H. KING

Mrs. King is the wife of the Inspector General of Police, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, and has been resident in the Colony since 1912.

She has been closely identified with the Girl Guides Association since its inception and served as Secretary to Lady Peel when Commissioner and later took the rank of Divisional Commissioner. When Lady Peel left the Colony she was appointed Commissioner, a post which was received with much enthusiasm throughout the movement.

Mrs. King has also taken a keen interest in the children of the Colony, and is at present President of the Ministering Children's League.

SCROLL FOR THEIR
MAJESTIES
COLONY'S LOYAL
ADDRESS

At to-morrow's meeting of the Executive and Legislative Councils the following resolution will be moved by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith:

"That a telegram in the following terms, conveying the loyal and respectful congratulations of the people of the Colony, be sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies for submission to His Majesty the King:

"The Executive and Legislative Councils and Judges of Hongkong on behalf of Your Majesty's subjects in the Colony desire most humbly to offer their loyal and respectful congratulations on the occasion of the Coronation of Your Majesty as King and Emperor and of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth. We pray that the event which is celebrated to-day may inaugurate a long and glorious reign for Your Majesty and an era of happiness, prosperity and honourable peace for Your Majesty's Kingdom and Empire."

The motion will be seconded by His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Athol Macfegor and supported by the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Senior Unofficial Member, and the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kieckhefer.

The meeting will commence at 12.30 p.m. and will be relayed over a powerful speaker system to Statue Square, for the benefit of those unable to gain admission to the Council Chamber.

The Royal Address, which will be sent to Their Majesties the King and Queen on behalf of the people of Hongkong, will be signed by members of the Executive and Legislative Councils in the Council Chamber after the meeting at 12.30 p.m. on Coronation Day.

Those who wish to see the Address may do so at Messrs. Wang Hing and Co., Queen's Road Central, where it will be on display in a window, together with the casket which will contain it.

The Address, which has been designed by Mr. M. F. Bapista, the well-known local amateur artist, of the Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., consists of a scroll of parchment, with bars of ivory and gold at the top and bottom. An ornamental and illuminated design frames the words of the Address, which are hand-painted in black Gothic script, underlined with gold.

The casket is a long silk-lined black-wood box, bearing the crest of Hongkong in silver.

The wording of the Address is as follows:

"To His Most Gracious Majesty George VI, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India."

"Your Majesty's subjects in the Colony of Hongkong desire most respectfully to tender their humble duty to Your Majesty and to express their loyalty and devotion to Your Majesty's Throne and Person on this auspicious occasion of Your Majesty's Coronation. They desire to tender their loyal congratulations and good wishes to Your Majesty and Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth and pray that by the Grace of God Your Majesty may long be spared in health and happiness to guide the destinies of the great Empire over which You reign."

"The Colony of Hongkong has grown in wealth and importance in the ninety-six years of its existence and looks forward with confidence to enhanced prosperity under Your Majesty's beneficent rule."

In commerce Hongkong is the southern gateway to China. In its great harbour the ships of all nations assemble. In its population all nations are represented. Its growth and stability are a living monument to British enterprise and Chinese industry, the two peoples working together in peace and harmony.

"The deep reverence in which Your Majesties are held by your faithful subjects is shared by all the residents of Hongkong. The large Chinese population which finds peace, order and good government in this Colony desires in particular to associate itself with the congratulations and good wishes which will be showered upon Your Majesties on this memorable day from all parts of Your Majesty's worldwide possessions."

"On behalf of the people of Hongkong, we sign this scroll."

Following a space for the signatures are the words, "Victoria, Hongkong, May 12th, 1937."

MACAO'S CONGRATULATIONS
Dr. Falcão, Colonial Secretary to the Macao Government, and Cmdr. Oliveira, of the gunboat Macao, who is also Chairman of the Macao Municipal Council, will call on His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, at 10 a.m. on Wednesday to deliver the felicitations of the Macao Government to His Majesty.

The gunboat Macao arrived in Harbour yesterday and Dr. Falcão will arrive in the Colony this evening.

GIFT FROM SCOUTS
At 11 a.m. on Friday His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government will receive from the hands of three local King's Scouts at Government House a presentation copy of the Coronation programme sent by the Imperial Headquarters of the Boy Scouts Association, London.

The Boy Scouts and Girl Guides' Associations would like to make it known that tickets for their combined Rally at the Hongkong Football Club Ground on Friday at 3 p.m. may be had from Scouts, Scouts' Guides or Guides or from Boy Scout Headquarters, Lower Albert Road.

Prices are as follows: Covered stands, \$1.00; open stands, 20 cents; children, 10 cents to adults.

M.P. Killed In
Motor CrashSir James Blindell
A Self-Made Man

London, May 10.
The National Liberal member of the House of Commons, Sir James Blindell, Junior, Lord of the Treasury, was killed to-day when his car overturned on his way from the crowning of the Carnival Queen at Boston, Lincolnshire.

Sir James was the son of a farm labourer, started life as an errand boy and became managing-director of a firm of boot manufacturers.—Reuter.

CORDIAL NOTES
EXCHANGED
FRANCO AND
MUSSOLINI
TRADE COMPLIMENTS

Rome, May 10.
Cordial greetings were exchanged by General Francisco Franco and Signor Benito Mussolini on the occasion of the first anniversary of the establishment of the Italian Empire in Ethiopia.

General Franco sent an expression of admiration and affection "for the glorious Italian people."

Signor Mussolini replied that he was grateful "for your telegram confirming the sentiments of noble Spain towards the Italian people."—Reuter Bulletin Service.

NEW AERIAL
SERVICE
EURASIA PLANES TO
CALL HERE

It is notified for general information that the Director of Air Services, Hongkong, has issued a permit enabling the Eurasia Aviation Corporation to use the Hongkong Air Port for the purpose of an air service for passengers, cargo and mails between Hongkong and Peking.

No definite date has been fixed for the inauguration of a regular service but this will probably begin in June of this year.

WHEAT CROP
FORECAST

Washington, May 10.
The Department of Agriculture to-day forecast a winter wheat crop of 654,200,000 bushels, the largest since 1931 and predicted a harvest of 47,410,000 acres which is 7.4 per cent of normal.

The Department also predicts a rye crop of 42,013,000 bushels from an acreage of 4,022,000 acres which is 78.4 per cent of normal. The report also states 17.1 per cent of the seeded wheat crop is abandoned.—United Press.

PIANOFORTE RECITAL
ENJOYABLE AFFAIR AT
HELENA MAY INSTITUTE

An enjoyable pianoforte recital was given at the Helena May Institute last evening when pupils of Miss Barbara Barretto and Mr. Harry Ore combined to render a praiseworthy programme.

Mention must be made of Luis Alberto's rendering of Mazurka (Borovsky) and Rhapsody in B minor (Brahms) by Clement Leong. Alberto is one of Miss Barretto's most talented pupils and Leong was taught by Mr. Ore. These numbers were played with a touch and delicacy that drew much applause.

Rosabel Hsu's Scherzo in B flat minor and Maureen Moir's Scherzo in A flat were also well received.

Other performers were Mae Bunn, (Associate of the Toronto Conservatory of Music), Lilian Eu, Faz Gaston, Virginia Hildebrand, Ma Sze Kui, (pupils of Mr. Ore) and Annette Chan and Lillian Lim, (pupils of Miss Barretto), all of whom also deserve credit for their efforts.

The Philharmonic Orchestra, augmented by bandmen from His Majesty's forces, under the conductorship of Lindsay A. Lafford, L.R.A.M., F.R.C.O., A.R.C.M.

We are asked to state that a limited number of seats will be available for the Cathedral Hall on the night of the broadcast for any members of the public who may care to attend. No charge for admission will be made, but donations towards the funds of the Hongkong Benevolent Society, in aid of which the Singers' concert performance of the works in question was given, will be gratefully received.

A limited number of special souvenir programmes, containing the full texts of the words of the works concerned, are also available, at \$1 each. These will help listeners to follow the performance over the radio. The money derived from the sale of programmes will also, of course, be devoted to the charitable funds concerned. These programmes may be procured from the Secretary's office at the Broadcasting Studio, Gloucester Buildings.

ITEMS TO BE BROADCAST
The times of the Official Coronation Programme have now been received and the times of local broadcasts will be as follows:

11 a.m. Service from St. John's Cathedral.
12 noon Royal Salute.
12.30 p.m. The Loyal Address by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government. (From the Council Chamber).

Between the close of the Service from the Cathedral and the beginning of the Loyal Address Military Band music will be played.

RADIO
BROADCASTA Talk on Old Theatre
Memories

MEHRIE ENGLAND

Broadcast by Z.B.W. on wavelength of 355 metres (845 k.c.s.), 31.40 metres (9.32 m.c.s.).

H.K.T.
12.30-2.10 p.m. European Programme.

12.30 p.m. A Concert.
1 p.m. Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. The London Symphony Orchestra.
1.25 p.m. Reuter Press, Rugby Press; Local Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. A Relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.
Vice-President R. D. Walker, C.B., on "Transient Thoughts on Transportation."

2.10 p.m. Close Down.
2.15 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7-11.15 p.m. European Programme.

7 p.m. The B. B. C. Dance Orchestra.
Fox Trot—I wanna woo; "Variety"

—Boris on the Bass; Fox Trot—Moon over Miami; Fox Trot—Mine's a hopeless case; "Novelty"—A feather in the Travelling Salesman; Slow Fox Trot—It's a sin to tell a lie; Waltz—Music in May.

7.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 p.m. A Light Concert.
Song—The Road to the Isles (Kennedy Fraser)... Sydney MacEwan (Tenor); Instrumental—Bells of St. Mary's (Adams)... Gladys Watkins (Carillon); Vocal Quartette—Four Jolly Sailors (German); Three for Jack (Squire)... Francis Russell, Parry Jones, Raymond Newell and Harry Heath Band—"This England"

A Coronation Toast... Debroy Somers Band.

7.55 p.m. London—Behind the Scenes at the Coronation—2. (Electrical Recording).

8.15 p.m. Local: Weather Report, Time and Announcements.

8.17 p.m. Lightning Sketch (Alford), played by The London Palladium Orchestra.

8.20 p.m. From the Studio.
"Old Theatre Memories"

A Talk by Mr. Cyril Champkin (Hon. Secretary, Hongkong A.D.C.).

8.50 p.m. Ship Ahoy March (Mr. Mackenzie), Sea Songs Medley (No. 3), (Mr. Vaughan Williams), Played by the Massed Bands of the Royal Marines.

8.55 p.m. From the Studio.
Excerpts from "Merrie England" (Edward German), By Eva Turner (Soprano), Helen Lockhart (Contralto), Gaston D'Aquino (Tenor) and Victor Sanders (Baritone) with E. O'Neill Shaw at the Piano.

Programme.
Opening Chorus—Sing a down a down at Baritone Solo—The Yeomen of England; Duet (Soprano and Tenor)—When true love hath found a man; Entrance of Queen Elizabeth; Contralto Solo—O peaceful England; Quartet—In England, merrie England; Duet (Contralto and Tenor)—The merry month of May; Quartet—Love is meant to make us glad; Soprano Solo—Oh, who shall say that love is cruel! Finale—Robin Hood Wedding.

9.30 p.m. London—News and Announcements.

9.55 p.m. The London Palladium Orchestra.

"London Again" Suite (Eric Coates); Oxford Street; Langham Place; Princess Elizabeth (Cran); Childhood Memories (Arr. Somers); "World Affairs" A talk by H. Wickham Steed.
10.30 p.m. A Variety Programme.
Orchestra Suite—"Cavalcade".... Noel Coward and the New Mayfair Orchestra; Vocal—Tap your toesies... Jack Hulbert (Comedian); Piano Solo—Three dances in syncopation. Billy Mayerl; (a) English Dance (b) Cricket Dance (c) Harmonica Dance; Vocal—Grace's Request Record... Grace Fields; Orchestra—It's Love Again—Film Selection... Louis Levy and His Gaumont British Symphony; Vocal—Things are looking up... Cleo Courtenage.
11 p.m. London—"Along the Route of the Coronation Procession." A talk by Thomas Woodroffe, one of the B.B.C. observers who will describe the Coronation Procession on May 12th. (Electrical Recording).

11.15 p.m. Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

The following wave-lengths and frequencies are used by Daventry:

Sign	Frequency	Wavelength
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GBS	11,885 k.c.	25.28 metres
GBS	12,120 k.c.	24.75 metres
GBS	12,750 k.c.	23.45 metres
GBS	13,470 k.c.	22.27 metres
GBS	13,850 k.c.	21.66 metres
GBS	13,840 k.c.	21.66 metres
GBS	14,110 k.c.	21.26 metres
GBS	14,100 k.c.	21.26 metres
GBS	15,810 k.c.	18.97 metres

Transmission 1
(G.S.D., G.S.O., G.S.C.)
1 p.m. Big Ben. "Crowning the King"—A talk by Owen F. Mershead, B.A., M.V.O., M.C., Librarian to His Majesty the King, George VI.

1.15 p.m. "Merrie England."
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POWER OF BRITISH BOXING BOARD OF CONTROL

Clubhouse Chatter

QUEER HAPPENINGS IN THE TENNIS WORLD? BECOMING A CIRCUS

QUEER happenings in the tennis world these days. George Lott wants to dot Fred Perry on the nose... I wish the cables had told us why... I am prompted to throw out an innuendo by observing that the last time Lott beat Perry was four years ago... I imagine Bill Tilden was delighted... This is showmanship taken to the 11th degree... That's out-Baerling Baer... And it should give Maxie a great idea for his next scrap... Why not take a tennis racket into the ring and bang his opponent playfully over the head with it?

This Is "Temperament"

TWO English girl tennis players recently walked off the courts because they did not like the way their opponents were winning... We must bear in mind that the good name of tennis is at stake, so we call that "Temperament"... A little more of this sort of thing and the word "sport" will have no affiliation to the game of tennis.

Another "Betty"?

I SEE too that Miss Dorothy Round has twice been beaten by an "unknown" player whose name is Miss McOstrich. Perhaps it was the name which gave Miss Round a pain in the neck. Within 24 hours Miss McOstrich was adopted by the newspapers as a "Dark horse tennis hope", a "New British tennis hope", the "most promising player since Miss Nuthall"... It's the last description which disturbs. Memory tells me that it was the London newspapers which ruined Miss Nuthall... Told her so often that she was the world's greatest player since Suzanne Lenglen that everybody, except her opponents, believed it, and within a very few years she had become a comparatively second-rater.

This Mixed Doubles Mystery

COMING nearer home we find that the entries for this summer's tennis league fall one short of last year. That's a pity, but not half so much as the disappointing entries for the mixed doubles league... One day I am going to discover the precise reason for the lack of interest in the mixed doubles competition... I've been trying to fathom it for a long time, but none of the reasons advanced are convincing. I don't believe it is due to a dearth of lady players... walk round your clubs an afternoon of the week and note the large number of ladies playing... and the majority are no mere novices... Years ago the Ladies Recreation Club entered a team in the mixed doubles. Which club or clubs have absorbed these players? There must be dozens of lady players only too eager to participate in the league... Is it the fault of the men, who tend to become fastidious and regard mixed doubles being beneath their dignity? I have heard it claimed that it is the "spirit of intense competition" which discourages teams to enter the mixed doubles. This, I regard, as so much rot, and is merely a high-falutin and insincere way of saving face. The sheer fun of the game and the pleasure of mixing afterwards in an atmosphere of friendliness and sociability out-balance any such complaints as "intense competitive spirit", even if that complaint were true, which it isn't.

Tsui in Europe

I BELIEVE Tsui Wai-pui, our former tennis champion, is going to do himself and Hongkong proud during the next few months. One noted with satisfaction his achievement in the Berlin International Tennis Tournament last week, when with Kho Sin-kle as a partner,

he reached the final of the men's doubles. That they lost robbed them of a 100 per cent. triumph, but that they progressed so far in the company of international players of repute is a most significant pointer. Tsui will have the French Championships to give him further practice and experience before he heads for Wimbledon, and I rather imagine that by the time he completes his pilgrimage to the Mecca of lawn tennis, he will be a very much better player than when he set out from Hongkong. Nothing would give us greater pleasure than to see Hongkong's protegee advance through two or three rounds at Wimbledon.

The Green Pastures Are Now Light Grey

A CLOSING note. Groundsmen at the Hongkong Cricket Club are making those green pastures take on the appearance of garden allotments. Large patches of green lawn have been converted into rectangles of light grey earth. But it's only temporarily and in order to make way for better courts in the future. This is but another reminder of the heavy toll the Colony tennis championships take of the Cricket Club ground. Six weeks of continuous play is bound to make a sad mess of any court; and it says much for the public-spiritedness of the H.K.C.C. that they are willing to take such risks for the sake of Colony tennis.

VAULTING RECORD

Palo Alto, Cal., May 9. The world's pole vault record of 14 feet 8.5 inches was twice broken today.

George Varoff's great jump was beaten by both Bill Sefton and Earl Meadows, both improving on the old skinned the bar at 14 feet 8.5 inches, mark by a full two inches. They

Football

Unusual Step By Emergency Committee

REFERS CASE TO COUNCIL

The Emergency Committee of the Hongkong Football Association took an unusual step last evening when, after briefly considering the recent dismissal from the field of Tam Kong-pak, they decided to refer the matter to the next meeting of the Council.

KOTEWALL CUP Contest Raises \$4,600 For Charity

As a result of the Kotewall Football Cup competitions Hongkong charities will benefit by \$4,600.

The distribution of the money was announced following a meeting of the Football Council last night. They are:

- South China to distribute \$3,000 as follows:—Tung Wah Hospital, \$1,000; South China Free School, \$1,000; Pao Wang Hospital, \$200; Chek Kwan Free School, \$100; Ministering Children's League, \$700.
- Navy to distribute \$800, of which the M.C.L. will receive \$500.
- Army to distribute \$800, of which the M.C.L. will receive \$450.

AUSTIN IS SUPREME IN ENGLAND

EARLY SEASON BRILLIANCE

(By H. S. Scrivener)

No leading lawn tennis player has ever shown, so early in the season, more determination to face coming responsibilities with fortitude than has H. W. Austin. In winning the open singles at the Melbury Club he made it abundantly clear that he is Britain's No. 1 man without any "possible, probable shadow of doubt."

After the third round, when he lost a set somewhat gratuitously to the Chinese K. C. H. Lo, whom he had previously beaten elsewhere, the largest number of games he lost was three, to N. Sharpe, in the final on Saturday, although his previous victims had included M. A. Young, R. J. Ritchie and C. M. Jones.

The success of Austin's success lies mainly in his forcing shots off the floor, which are so powerful that he can hustle so stout a defender as Sharpe into the making of errors. They also, naturally, help him to dart up to the net when he wants to and there take more or less complete command of the situation.

Sharpe is a past master of the passing shot, but he did not get very many balls past Austin, whose wonderful anticipation helped him to chip in and cut them off, so that, although Sharpe played fine lawn tennis, it was not of much avail against the Austin brand of the same article. His best effort from a scoring point of view was made in the two games which he won in the first set after Austin had led by 4-0. In the second set he won the fourth

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County Cricket

ESSEX DEFEAT SOMERSET

BY 6 WICKETS

London, May 10. Scoring was low in the county championship cricket match which finished at Taunton to-day between Somerset and Essex.

Essex won by six wickets, Somerset being tumbled out in their second innings for 106.

There was a keen fight for first innings lead. Somerset, batting first, amassed 223, but Essex replied with 228 for 9 wickets, and then declared.

Nichols took heavy toll of Somerset in their second knock and had an analysis of 4 for 40.

CLOSE CANNON RECORD

BREAK OF 570 BY DAVIS

During a break of 570 in his semi-final United Kingdom Professional Billiards Championship at Thurston, Joe Davis had a run of 182 close cannons.

This is a record under the new balk line rule which requires a player to cross the line during the last 20 in every 200.

At the afternoon session Davis scored 955 (average 79) against 905 (average 69) to lead at the interval by 2,620 points.

Smith scored 834 points (average 93) in the later session and Davis 825 (average 82).

Best breaks: Smith 271, 237, 389 and 190; Davis 570, 201, 210 and 103.

Close: Davis, 3,020; Smith (in play), 3,403.

Another Tennis Girl Walks Off

London, Apr. 10. What might be called the walk-off strike spreading in the lawn tennis world.

Yesterday, at Melbury (Kensington) tournament, Miss Joan Ingram followed the example of Miss G. M. Southwell on Tuesday and left the court after she was re-called in her match against Miss A. E. McOstrich.

Miss Ingram played moderately in the first set and very well in the second.

She then said: "I am not going to continue; you are certain to win the third set as six-love."

Miss Ingram said later that the reason for her retirement was that she had to play in the doubles.

The score was in favour of Miss McOstrich, 6-0, 3-6 (ret.).

For the second time in less than a week Miss T. M. Hardwick beat Miss "Kay" Staunton, the score yesterday being 6-2, 2-0, 6-3.

FARR'S FUTURE PLANS

TAKE HOLIDAY: DO SOME MORE FIGHTING: MAKE MORE MONEY

Tommy Farr, British and Empire heavyweight champion, is going to do three things in the immediate future. In this order:

Have a holiday. Do some more fighting. Make some money.

There is a fourth proposition—to marry. But that's not immediate. "Let's get the fighting over first," he said recently. "We were talking at the Blackheath training camp. A piece of sticking plaster over his left eye was the only indication that the night before he had fought former world champion Max Baer. An expansive grin was the only indication of his satisfaction at having so soundly beaten the American."

251 FIGHTS. "I'm not afraid to go back to the mines," he said, "but there's money to be made in boxing—at the top, anyway. I've had 251 fights. Not

long ago I couldn't get £120 for a contest.

"So now, while I'm still young, I'm going to do some fighting."

"I'd sooner meet Schmeling in London—you get a neutral referee for one thing—but I'm prepared to fight anywhere if I can get the money."

"The holiday first, though. After three months' training I feel I deserve it."

"Ted Broderick, my manager, and I will probably go to the United States. Just to look round."

"I need hardly say that there was jubilation in the Farr camp. But once again so happy as Tommy Evans, the distinctive trainer: "He nursed me as a baby," said Tommy Farr.

The older Tommy, with an affectionate grin, shook hands with his massive infant. It must have been at least the twelfth time they had shaken hands during the day.

I learn that Farr's next fight in all probability will be with Walter Neusel, the German, in London some time in June.

Virtual Dictator Of Boxing In England CONTROLS DESTINIES OF PROMOTERS

(By H. I. Percy)

London. Freddy Miller, ex-world's featherweight champion, showed that there were "easy pickings" to be had in Europe, and thus started a "gold rush" of American boxers to these and other foreign shores.

Fighting sometimes two and three times a week, Miller cleaned up a neat fortune here, before returning to the United States to lose his title to Percy Sarron.

But the influx had started. Max Baer hopes to gather some 30,000 shekels from his fights here. Kingfish Levinsky has dreamt of £5,000 or £10,000. Percy Sarron is on the look-out for some pin-money to the tune of about £2,000. Joe Louis is scheduled to come over for a Coronation fight. His pickings should be around the century mark or more.

JUST ONE FLAW. But there's just one flaw in all these dreams of taking back a stack of crisp "fivers" and "tensers", and that is the B.B.B.C. of the British Boxing Board of Control.

The Board, which governs boxing throughout England, Wales and Northern Ireland, is powerful, but not as powerful as it would like to be.

Its control over American boxers here is that it can refuse to sanction a fight between two foreigners, or even between a foreigner and a British boxer. But that need not prevent the fight being held if the promoter and everybody else concerned is willing to risk excommunication, loss of suspension, which are the Board's only means of punishment.

That these punishments can be effective was shown in the case of Jeff Dickson, New York, Paris and London fight promoter who had ideas of stepping into Tex Rickard's shoes.

Dickson was a "rebel" promoter here. He was not registered with the board, and he staged fights between boxers who were not registered. When he tried to stage a championship fight, the Board told him that his winner would not be recognized as the champion.

After a time Dickson found it increasingly hard to get first-class bills as the top-liners could not afford to risk the Board's displeasures. Eventually about 18 months ago, Dickson threw in the towel and withdrew to Paris.

He left the field clear to Arthur Elvin, proprietor of the Wembley Stadium, Ltd. of which Brigadier General A. C. Critchley is chairman. Both these outfits are registered with the Board.

All promoters, referees, managers, trainers and boxers must register with the Board, which has a fixed annual scale of fees.

Fines and suspension and the withdrawal of licences are the Board's punishments for any infringement of the 60-page book of regulations.

SENSATIONAL INSTANCE. Probably the most sensational instance of the Board's power, concerned heavyweight Jack Doyle. Doyle fought Jack Petersen for his British title in 1935, but lost the fight on a foul in the second round.

The Board seized Doyle's share of the purse, about £1,500 until it had made enquiries. Eventually the Board suspended Doyle for six months and confiscated his purse.

On appeal, however, it allowed him some £15 a week for expenses.

Since the Board is recognized throughout the world as the official ruling body of British boxing, no British boxer would stand any chance of qualifying for a world championship if he remained outside the Board's control. Promoters would refuse to bill him however good he might be.

Therein lies the Board's power. The Board came into being in 1920. Its originator was Charles F. Donnell, businessman boxing agent, sporting-paper proprietor. In 1928 he drafted a set of regulations, much as they are to-day. He then tried to get leading patrons of sport interested such as the Earl of Londale, Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, the Earl of Drogheda and Viscount Scaradale.

Assured of sufficient support Donnell called a public meeting in 1929, which was attended by boxing promoters, managers, trainers, boxers and fans. That meeting formed the B.B.B.C.

OBJECTS OF THE BOARD. Its main objects, according to the book of regulations are: "(1). To control and regulate professional boxing in the United Kingdom and to act as a 'Board of Appeal'.

"(2). To encourage professional boxing in the United Kingdom, and to promote and safeguard license holders' interests in parliament and local councils and with railway companies and also in their dealings with international boxers and their managers.

"(3). To arrange international agreements and promote the interests of British professional boxers in world's championships. "(4). To promote and safeguard the interests of British professional boxers throughout the world."

Other objects include raising loans at interest and a benevolent fund for boxers.

The Board, as such, consists of the president, the Earl of Londale, the vice-presidents, Colonel R. E. Middleton and Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, not more than 25 stewards, an honorary treasurer, and the general secretary.

THOSE IN CONTROL. At present there are 14 stewards including the Earl of Drogheda, Viscount Scaradale, Harold Abrahams, the Olympic veteran, C. H. Douglas and P. J. Moss, who are referees.

These stewards sit either as administrative stewards or stewards of appeal. Any person affected by a decision or order of the Board can appeal on deposit of £1.

The Board has seven branches in Scotland, Northern England, Southern England, Wales, Northern Ireland, Western England and Eastern England. These control their respective areas by councils which must comprise four promoters, three referees, three boxers, two managers, one match-maker, and one ring-marks, trainer, second, timekeeper, M.C., or whip.

These councils settle local disputes over contracts or purses; arrange area championships and other fights; appoint referees for fights in their areas, whether they involve local boxers or not.

For instance, the southern branch selected Referee C. H. Douglas for the Baer-Farr fight on April 15; a fact which caused Baer's manager, Anell Hoffman, rudely to wonder

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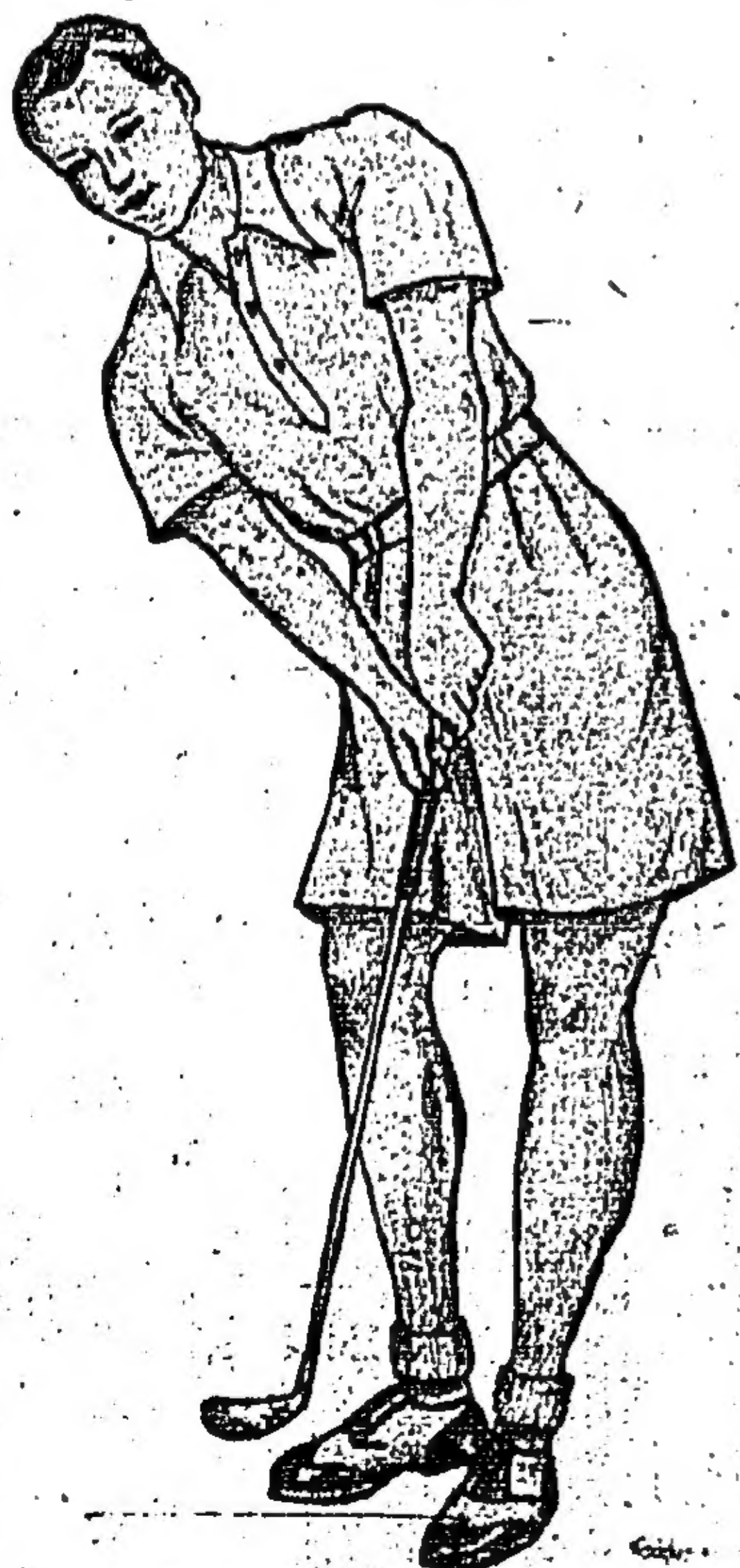
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POWER OF BOXING BOARD OF CONTROL

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why the Board itself had not deigned to appoint the referee for such an important fight.

Everybody connected with boxing from the promoters downwards must have a licence. These are renewed every year, and make the holder a "member" of the Board. In the case of a champion whose licence is suspended, a general joint committee of the Board will decide whether he should forfeit his title. And there is no appeal from his decision.

FEES AND STIPULATIONS

The annual licence fees are Promoters, £5. 5s.; Matchmakers, £2. 2s.; Boxers, 5s.; Referees, £2. 2s.; for class "Star," and "A," and £1. 1s. for class "B." Managers, £2. 2s.; Trainers, £1. 1s.; Ringmasters, whips and timekeepers, 10s. M.C.'s, £1. 1s.; Seconds, 5s.

All licence-holders must be able to show them on demand by the Board's inspectors.

There are stringent rules for promoters, even to a scale of fees for referees and timekeepers according to the size of the purse.

Paragraph 31 says, for instance: A promoter engaging an alien boxer or boxers must forward form 30 A.R.B. to the head office correctly and Ministry of Labour Form filled up. American boxers will be granted permission to remain in Great Britain for a period of two months (which may be extended) on the following conditions:—

"That the boxer will not take part in more than one boxing contest promoted in Great Britain and Northern Ireland in any fourteen days during his stay."

"Permission will be granted for two alien boxers only to appear on any one programme unless under special or exceptional circumstances for which permission must be obtained from the Board."

Promoters may not bill a fight as for a championship without the Board's sanction. Neither may they stage all-in wrestling on the same programme.

BOARD'S RAKE-OFF

In all championship fights, whether British, British Empire, European or world, and also from all fights which gross £2,500 or more, the Board gets five per cent. of the gate. This comes equally from the boxers' purses and the promoter, and for it, the Board provides referee, timekeeper, inspectors, gloves, and bandages, in addition to belts, cups or emblems.

Boxers must be over the age of 16, and if under 18, must not box in a contest of more than 30 minutes actual boxing.

They cannot fight two fights in the same day. Neither can they fight in a contest of 30 minutes actual boxing within four days of their last fight.

If they slack on their training, the Board has power to cancel the fight, and punish the slacker. They must wear coloured shorts, and jockstraps, but shields are optional.

Referees are divided into three classes. The "Star" class can referee any fight; the "A" class can only referee 30-minute fights.

They must keep their score-sheets at least fourteen days after a fight. The Board lays down that managers shall receive 25 per cent. of their boxer's purse over £10, and ten per cent. under that sum.

GOVERNING CHAMPIONS

In its rules governing championship fights, the Board says a boxer forfeits his title on the following counts:—

(1) If he is defeated in a championship contest sanctioned and controlled by the Board and at the weight at which he won his title.

(2) If he is convicted of felony or misdemeanor.

(3) If he is proved guilty, to the satisfaction of the Board, of gross misconduct as a boxer.

(4) If he refuses to defend his title after the receipt of a challenge approved, and a date limit given for such title match by the Board.

(5) If he refuses to be a member of the B.B.C.C.

(6) If he refuses to accept 60 per cent. of a purse approved by the Board.

A champion cannot defend his title less than six months after his last title fight, without the Board's sanction.

The Board controls all British and British Empire championships, whether in this country or in the Dominions. It also controls European and world championship fights staged in this country.

For other matters, the Dominions have their own boards.

SPORT ADVTs.

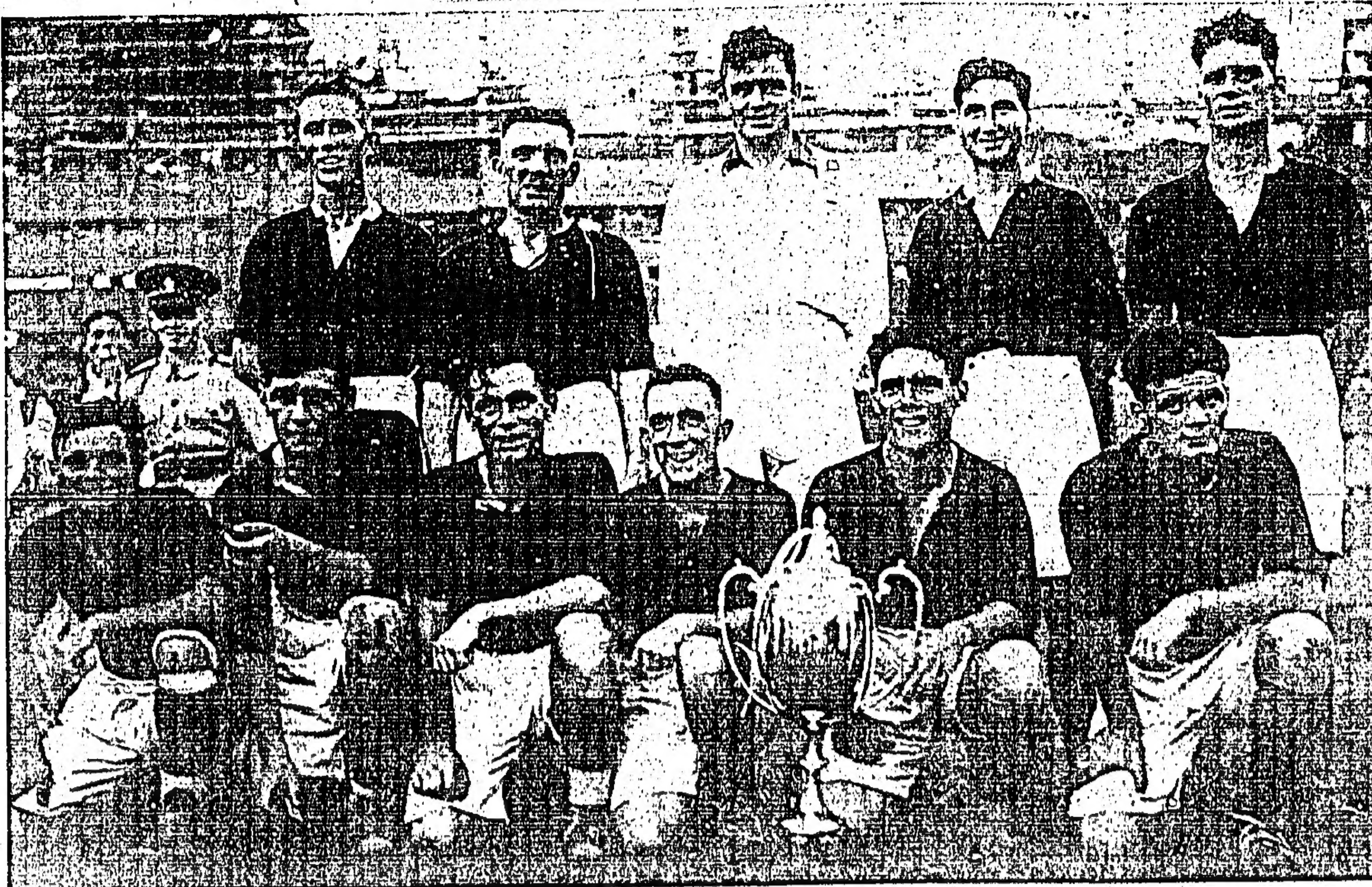
THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Fifth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 15th and Monday, 17th May, 1937, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on Saturday and at 12.30 p.m. on Monday.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and at 12 o'clock Noon respectively.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 10th May, 1937.

TIRED, HOT, DISHEVELLED, BUT TRIUMPHANT



The Army football team, snapped at the conclusion of their gruelling Kotewall Cup match with South China A.A. on Sunday. The players were very hot and weary, but they smiled happily enough when the photographer directed them to "look at the little birdie." (Photo by Mee Cheung).

AUSTIN IS SUPREME IN ENGLAND

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game, and fought hard for the next three to no purpose. I watched this match with real pleasure.

MISS HARDWICK'S SUCCESS

Miss Hardwick is gradually achieving greater consistency, which is what she chiefly needs.

I doubt whether any other English woman possesses a finer array of strokes, and her win against Mrs. Peters, though foreshadowed, was gained against an opponent who has appreciably strengthened an already strong game.

The match can hardly be described as exhilarating from the playing point of view, because the conditions with drizzling rain falling called for caution rather than enterprise, and Miss Hardwick had to work very hard to win. The tinner led by 4-1 in the first set, which Miss Hardwick won at 6-4, and had three chances for 6-5 in the second, which Miss Hardwick won at 7-5.

Owing mainly to Friday's bad weather only one of the three doubles events, when Miss Austin scored another win, was finished, and the weather was none too good, with fine rain occurring now and again in the course of a rather dismal afternoon.

Miss J. Nicoll, a 14-year-old Harrow girl, did well to beat Miss N. Cole by 6-1, 6-2 in the restricted women's singles final. She played very steadily. Results:

Men's Singles—Final: H. W. Austin beat N. Sharpe, 6-2, 6-1.
Men's Restricted Singles—Semi-final: D. N. Hardwick beat Lord Pollington, 6-0, 6-3, 6-0. Final: Divided between R. G. L. Smith and Hardwick.

Women's Singles—Final: Miss R. M. Hardwick beat Mrs. E. C. Peters, 6-1, 6-2.
Women's Restricted Singles—Final: Miss J. Nicoll beat Miss N. Cole, 6-1, 6-2.

Men's Doubles—Final: Austin and G. L. Rogers beat J. S. Ollitt and E. C. Peters, 6-1, 6-1.
Women's Doubles—4th Rd.: Miss D. F. Round and Miss M. Healey beat Miss G. M. Southwell and Miss D. M. Smith, 6-7, 6-3.

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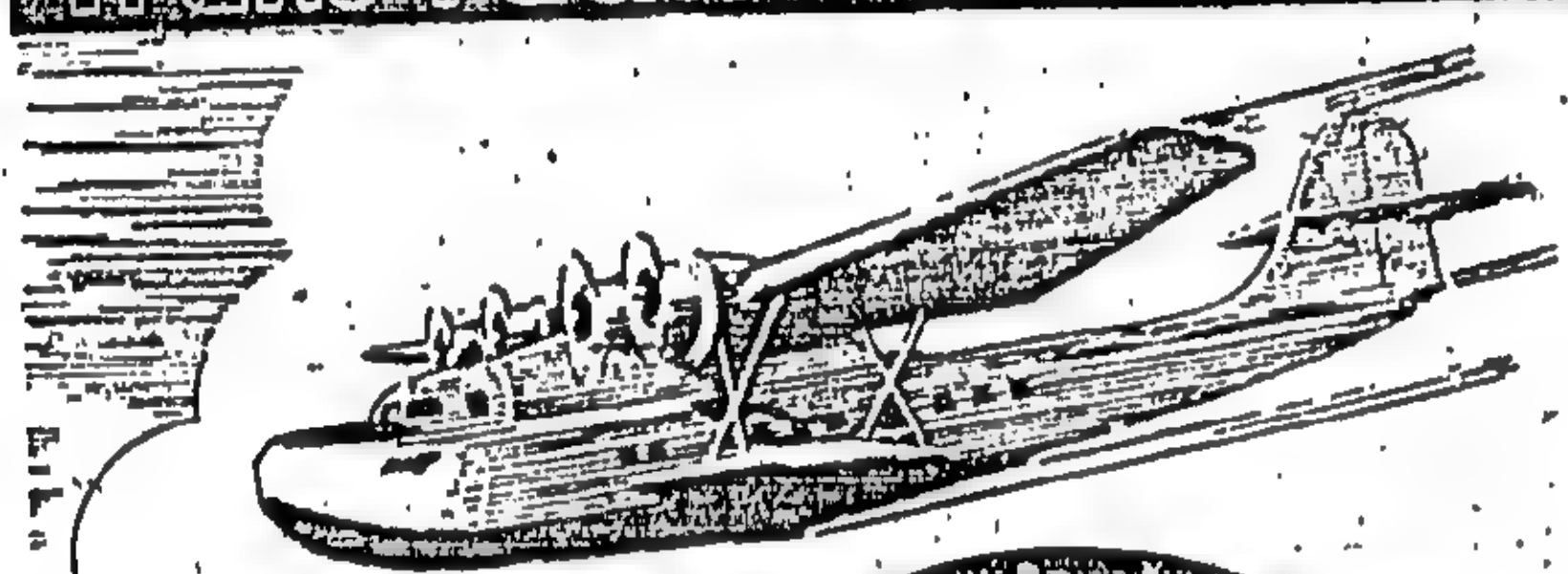
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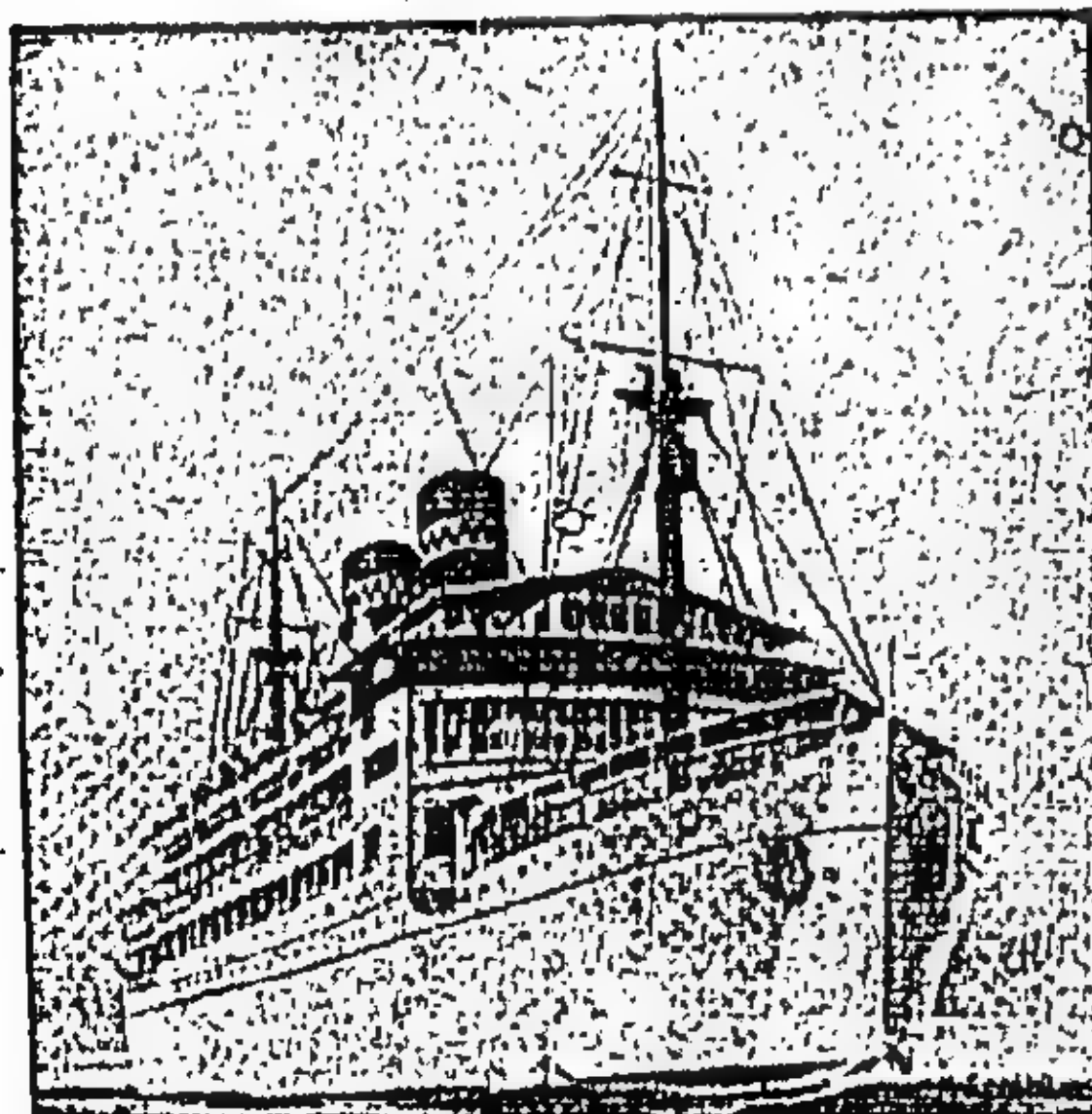


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Shanghai's German community turned out in force on the lawn at the Kaiser Wilhelm School to celebrate the 48th birthday of Herr Adolf Hitler, Fuehrer—a ceremony at which a number of German boys and girls took their oath of allegiance to the National Socialist Party. The above pictures, taken by flashlight, show, at top, the Hitler Youth on parade, and, below, leading officers and civilians.



The above photographs give some idea of the colourful display which attended the arrival in Shanghai last week of the new Italian Ambassador, Signor Giuliano Cora, who was a passenger in the liner Conte Rosso. Signor Cora is seen saluting the guard of honour which was drawn up along the wharf (top) and later, clad in civilian clothes, standing with Consul-General L. Neyrone and others.

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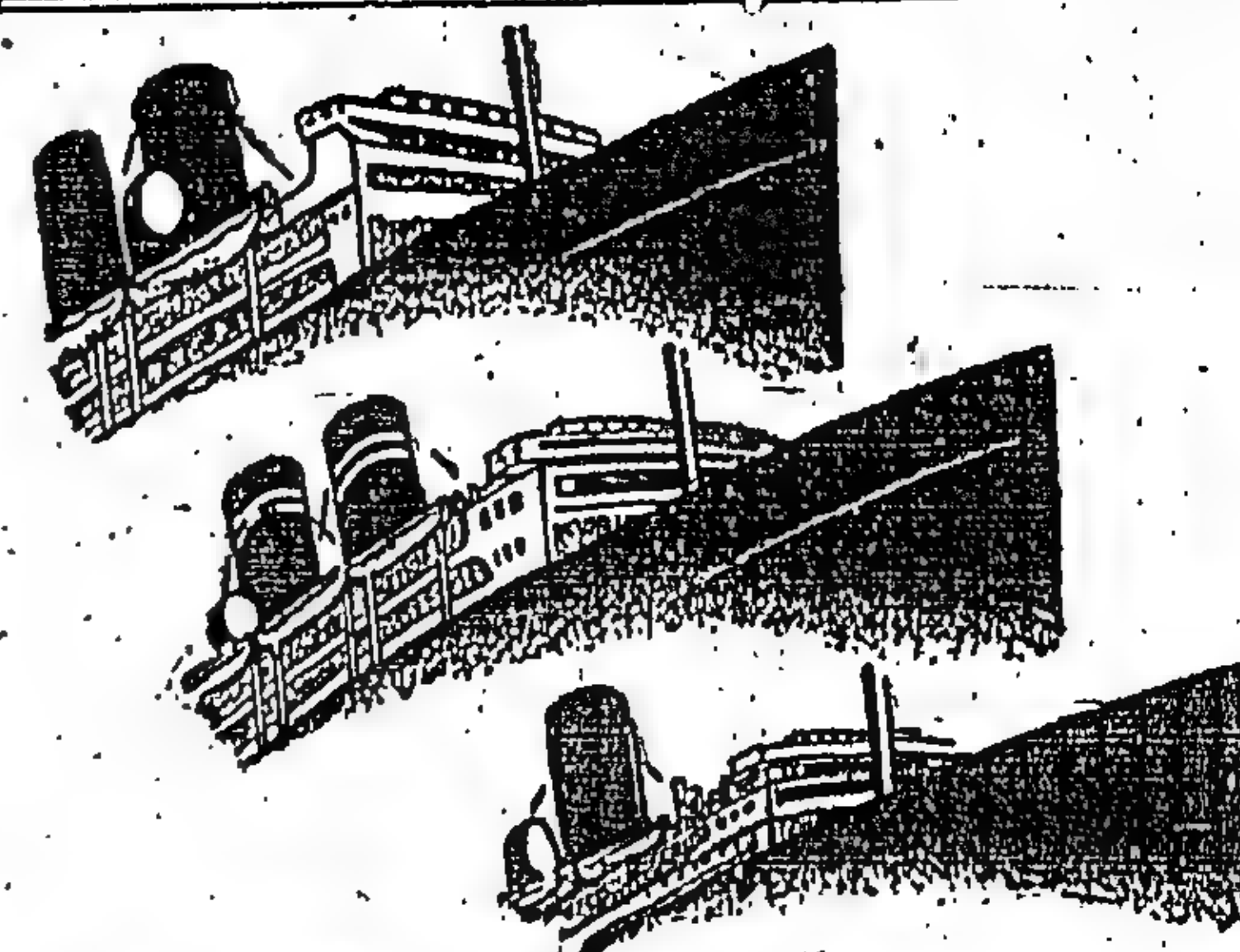
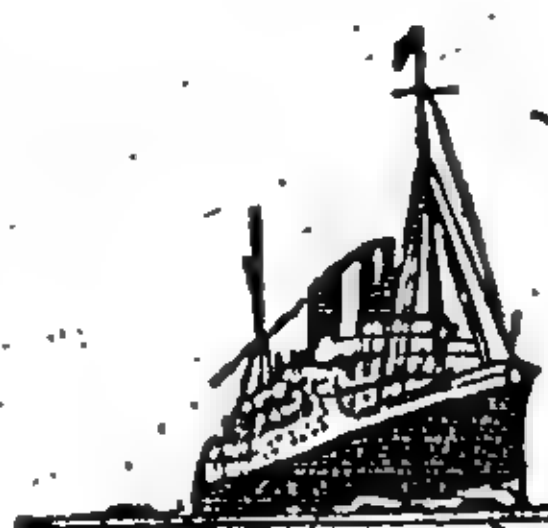
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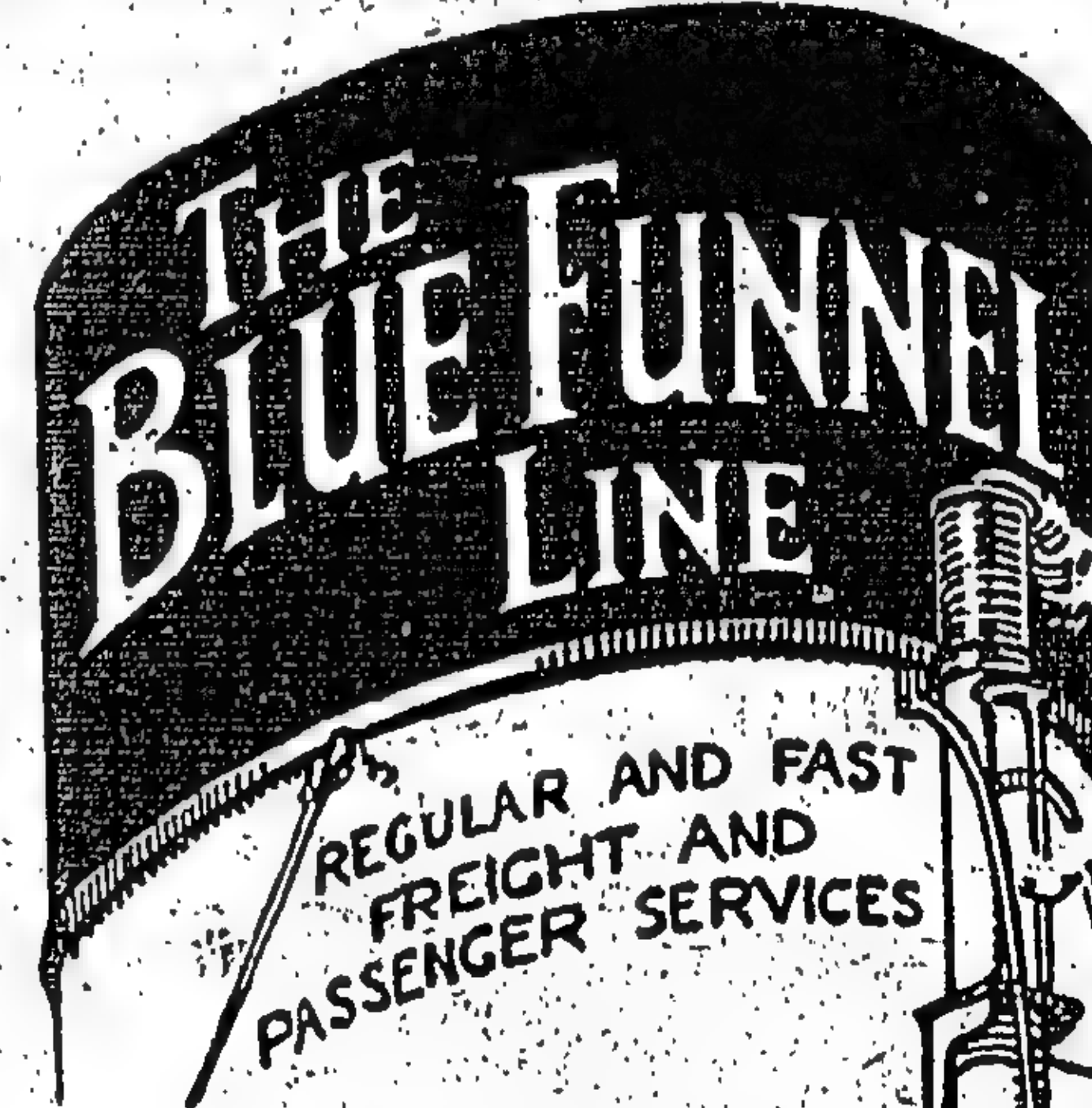
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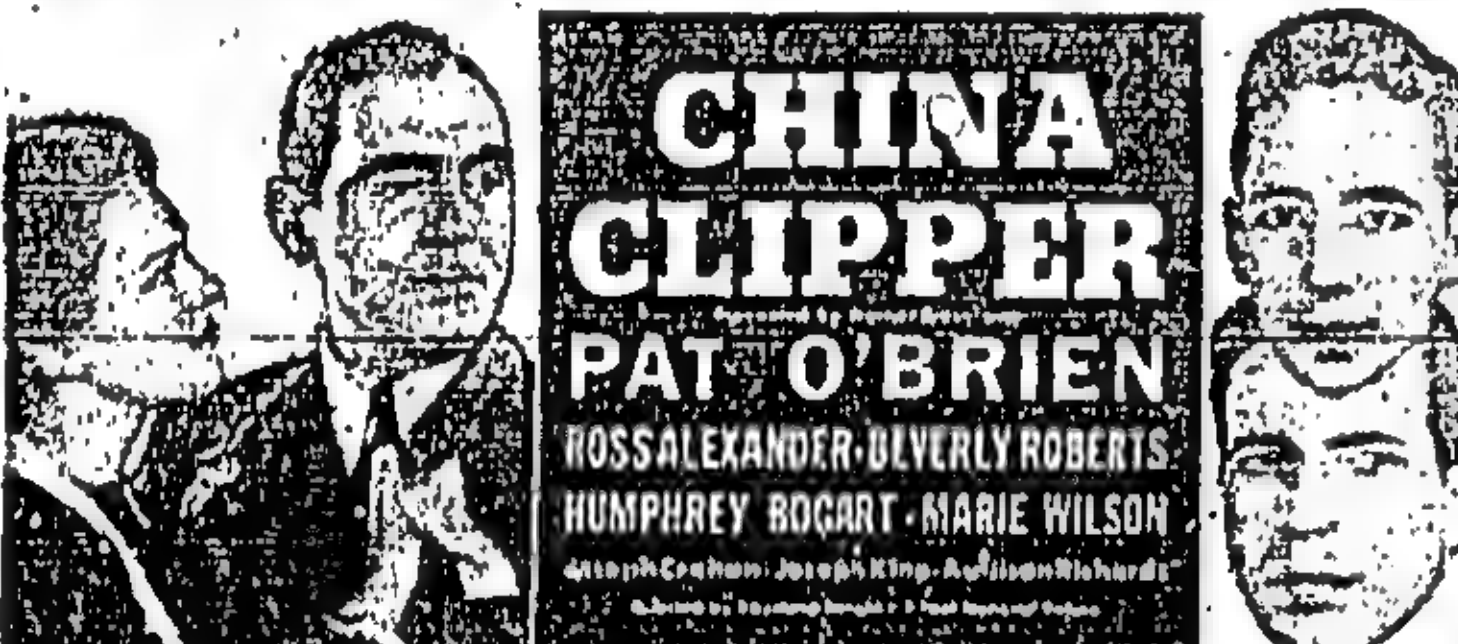


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ALL READY FOR THE CORONATION

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ren's Coronation Service at St. Andrew's Church.

10.50 a.m.—A Short Coronation Service will be held at the Methodist Church, Wanchai.

11 a.m.—Bishop H. Valtorta will conduct a Coronation Service at the Catholic Cathedral.

There will be a short Coronation Service at St. Andrew's Church.

11.15 a.m.—A Service of Prayer and Thanksgiving will be conducted in St. John's Cathedral by the Bishop of Hongkong, Bishop R.O. Hall.

A few seats have been reserved and the remainder are available for the public.

A Coronation Service will be held at the Kennedy Road Union Church, Hongkong.

NOON—Royal Salute fired by His Majesty's Warships.

12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Executive and Legislative Councils in the Council Chamber. The meeting will be broadcast and amplified to the public.

1 p.m.—The Chinese Procession passes through the City on its way to Government House. The Procession will be the main attraction during the entire afternoon and can be viewed at times and places given elsewhere.

5.15 p.m.—Commencement of the broadcast describing the Coronation Ceremonies in London and lasting until 10.30 p.m. (Hongkong time).

Approximately at 6 p.m., this service will be relayed to St. John's Cathedral where 200 places have been reserved for schoolchildren, the remainder of the seats being available to the public.

6 p.m.—A special Coronation Service will be held at the Rosary Church, Kowloon.

8 p.m.—Illuminating circuits in H.M. Ships and Dockyard will be switched on.

Japanese Residents Fireworks display from float at No. 1 Buoy, lasting two hours.

Night flying of Royal Air Force machines and two illuminated aeroplanes will commence, approximately, and will continue for an hour.

11 p.m.—Bouquet of rockets from ILM. Ships announced beginning of searchlight display lasting a quarter of an hour. Another bouquet of rockets one minute later announces a second and final display by searchlights.

3 a.m.—His Majesty—the King's Address to his People.

ROYAL AIR FORCE
It is now learned that The Royal Air Force's chief contribution to the day's programme will be flight in the morning and at night-time.

Eighteen machines will do the fly-past at the combined review and these will not be seen again until shortly after 6 p.m. when illuminations are switched on all over the Colony. Two flights of three

CORONATION WEATHER PROSPECTS

Probably Fair: But
Cloudy In H.K.

According to present indications, Hongkong should have fair but possibly cloudy weather for Coronation Day.

The weather report issued by the Royal Observatory at 10 a.m. to-day states: The anticyclone has moved eastwards and now covers South Japan and neighbouring seas. A shallow depression has developed over Mandchuria. The southern depression is situated in the Ballintang Channel, probably moving north-eastwards. Forecast: East winds, moderate; fair.

The Observatory reports that the fine weather has been confined to Hongkong and neighbourhood, but it extends northwards to Amoy this morning. It may be attributable to the depression in the Ballintang Channel, but as that is moving away from the China Coast, cloudiness is probable.

There is at present no indication of rain.

STOP PRESS

Los Angeles, May 10.
Mrs. Norton, who sought to prove that Clark Gable, film star, was the father of her child, has been sentenced to a year's imprisonment for misuse of the mails.—Reuter.

DEATH.

MARSHALL.—At the Kowloon Hospital, at 1.30 a.m., on May 11, 1937, Alexander Gray Marshall, aged 39 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

machines each will take off from Kai Tak, accompanied by two machines illuminated in outline.

These eight planes will fly low over all parts of the Colony in various formations for about an hour. This item should be one of the most spectacular of all.

SCHOOL-CHILDREN'S TEA
The N.A.F.I. have a big job on Thursday. They are providing tea for 1,000 Garrison schoolchildren and their parents on the Chatham Road football ground, the expense being borne by the Garrison Coronation Fund.

CROWDS THROG LONDON ON EVE OF CORONATION

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ever the weather is on Coronation Day, all processions to and from Westminster Abbey will take place without modification.—British Wire- less.

Delegates Received

London, May 10.
The Foreign Secretary this morning received Mr. James Gerard, American representative at the Coronation; M. Hodza, Prime Minister of Czechoslovakia; and M. Holsti, Foreign Minister of Finland, who are all in London for the coronation.

Mr. Eden lunched at the Austrian Legation with Dr. Guido Schmidt, Assistant Foreign Minister, and later saw M. Pizzardo, the Papal representative.

The Army Council gave a luncheon to-day to the military representatives and delegates of foreign Powers in London for the Coronation, at which the Secretary for War, Mr. Duff Cooper, presided. Among the guests were General Pershing, General Gamelin, Field Marshal Blomberg, Marshal Tukhachevsky, and representatives of Afghanistan, Argentina, Austria, Bolivia, Brazil, China, Cuba, Japan, Nepal, Portugal, Turkey and Yugoslavia.—British Wire- less.

CORONATION HONOUR FOR THOUSANDS

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Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath.

Other Honours

The G.C.M.G. decoration has been conferred on Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, who recently undertook an important financial mission in China. Major-General F. S. G. Pigott, Military Attaché to the British Embassy in Tokyo, and son of a former Hongkong Chief Justice, received the C.B. decoration.

Vice-Admiral Hon. Sir Alexander Ramsay, Commander-in-Chief of the East Indies Station, is made a K.C.M.G., whilst the decoration of a Knight Grand Cross of the British Empire Order is conferred on Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer, former Commander-in-Chief on the China Station.

His Honour Judge A. G. Moscrop, of H.B.M.'s Supreme Court in China, receives a Knighthood.

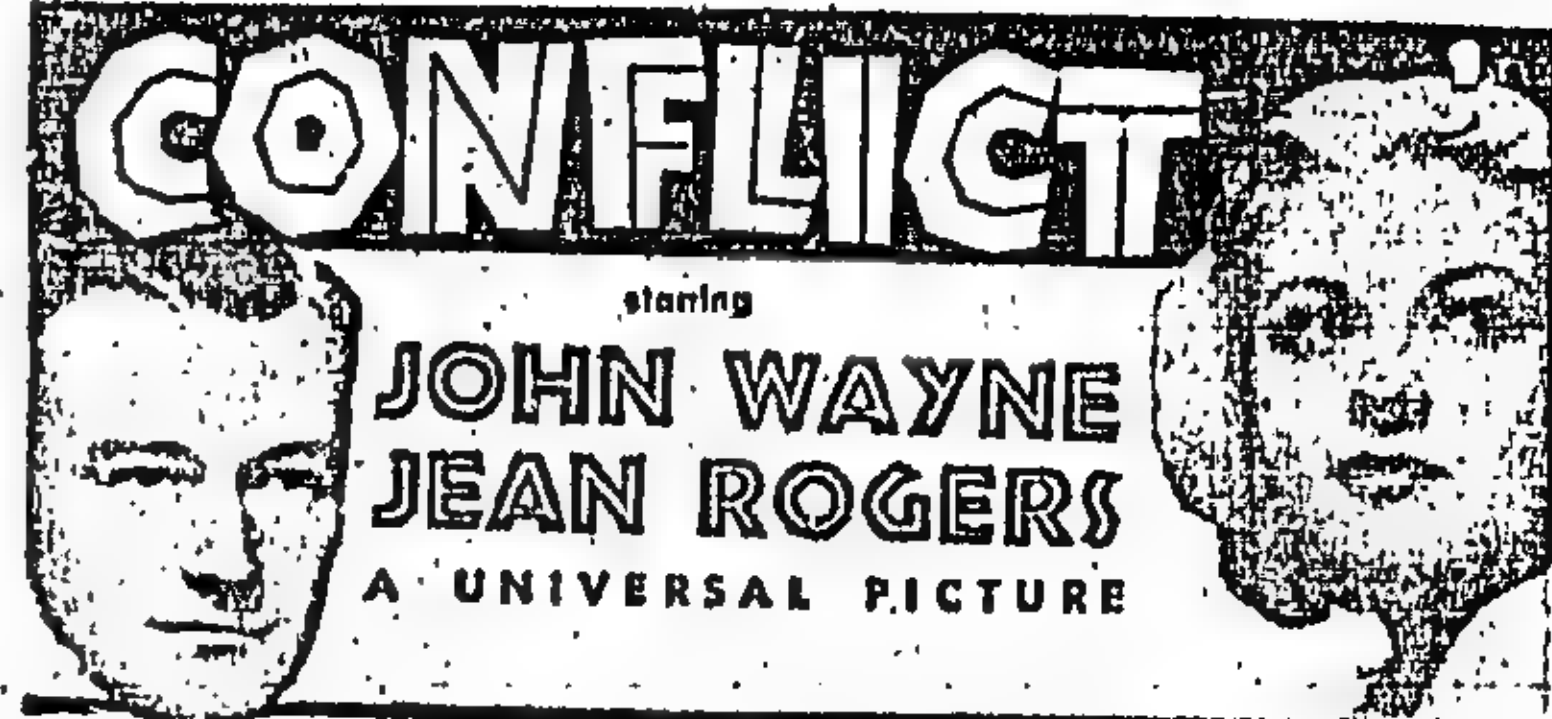
The C.M.G. decoration is conferred on Mr. R. G. Howe, of Peking; the M.B.E. on Captain C. W. Kavanagh, of the steamer "Dorset"; and the C.B.E. on Lady Barlow, wife of the former Minister to Abyssinia, who was also British Consul-General in Shanghai, and the C.B.E. on Mr. W. S. Dupre, of Hankow.—Reuter.

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eighteen members of the British Royal Family will form the first procession, which is due at the Abbey at 8.55 a.m.

Princess Elizabeth and Margaret Rose will walk on either side of the Princess Royal in the "possession" of Princes and Princesses of the Royal Blood.

They will be followed by the Duchess of Gloucester and Kent. The Russian Consul-General for Foreign Affairs, representing the Soviet at the coronation, will walk immediately behind Signor Dino Grandi, the Italian Ambassador.

The British Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, will head the group of five Empire Prime Ministers.

Six processions will pass through Westminster Abbey before the Coronation; the members of the Royal Family, foreign representatives, the Dean and prebendaries of Westminster, bearing the Royal Regalia, the Royal Princes and Princesses, and Queen Mary with the Queen of Norway, culminating in a procession in which Their Majesties will move to the Coronation Theatre, their Regalia borne before them.—Reuter.

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The Duchesses of Gloucester and Kent, the Countess of Athlone, Mrs. Lyons, wife of the Australian Prime Minister, Mr. J. A. Lyons, become Dames of the Grand Cross of the British Empire.

New Knights of the Garter are the Duke of Beaufort, the Earl of Strathmore (who is also appointed an Earl of the United Kingdom), the Marquis of Exeter and the Duke of Norfolk, Lord Marshal of England.

New Knights of the Thistle are Sir Ian Colquhoun, Lord Lieutenant of Dunbartonshire, and Earl Stair, twelfth of his line, whose title dates from 1604.

The Order of Merit is conferred upon Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Baden-Powell, First Baron of Gilwell, famous as the head of the world Scout movement, and a distinguished soldier.

An Earl of the United Kingdom is the Earl of Bessborough, former Governor-General of Canada.

Sir Robert Horne, famous figure in the British ship world, and Sir Herbert Samuel, noted Liberal Parliamentarian, are created Viscounts.

The nine Barons in the Honours List include the former Cabinet Minister, Dr. Christopher Addison, educationist and author; Sir John Cadman, another of Britain's great industrial figures; and Admiral of the Fleet Sir Ernle Chatfield.

Privy Councillors

Twelve new Privy Councillors include the Duke of Kent; Sir Patrick Duncan, South African Minister of Mines; Viscount Gwylly, Governor-General of New Zealand; Lord Gowrie, Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada; Lord Shell, Chairman of the London County Council; Mr. F. W. Pethick-Lawrence, Labour member of Parliament for Edinburgh; Dr. Edward Baring, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade; Mr. Ernest Lapointe, Canadian Minister of Justice.

There are seven new baronets, including one for Sir Cuthbert Wallace, Director of Medical Services, Mount Vernon Hospital, and President of the Royal College of Surgeons, 1936.

Public Service Rewarded

Fifty-four new knighthoods are awarded for public service in many fields. They include the musician, Arnold Bax; the artist, Muirhead Bone; and the novelist, High Wycombe.

The Countess of Strathmore is appointed Dame Grand Cross of the Victorian Order and Mary, Susan (Marie) Tempest, the actress and singer, becomes a Dame Commander of the British Empire.

Among the five Companions of Honour are the Viscountess Astor, the journalist, Mr. J. Spender, the Rev. M. E. Dubrey.

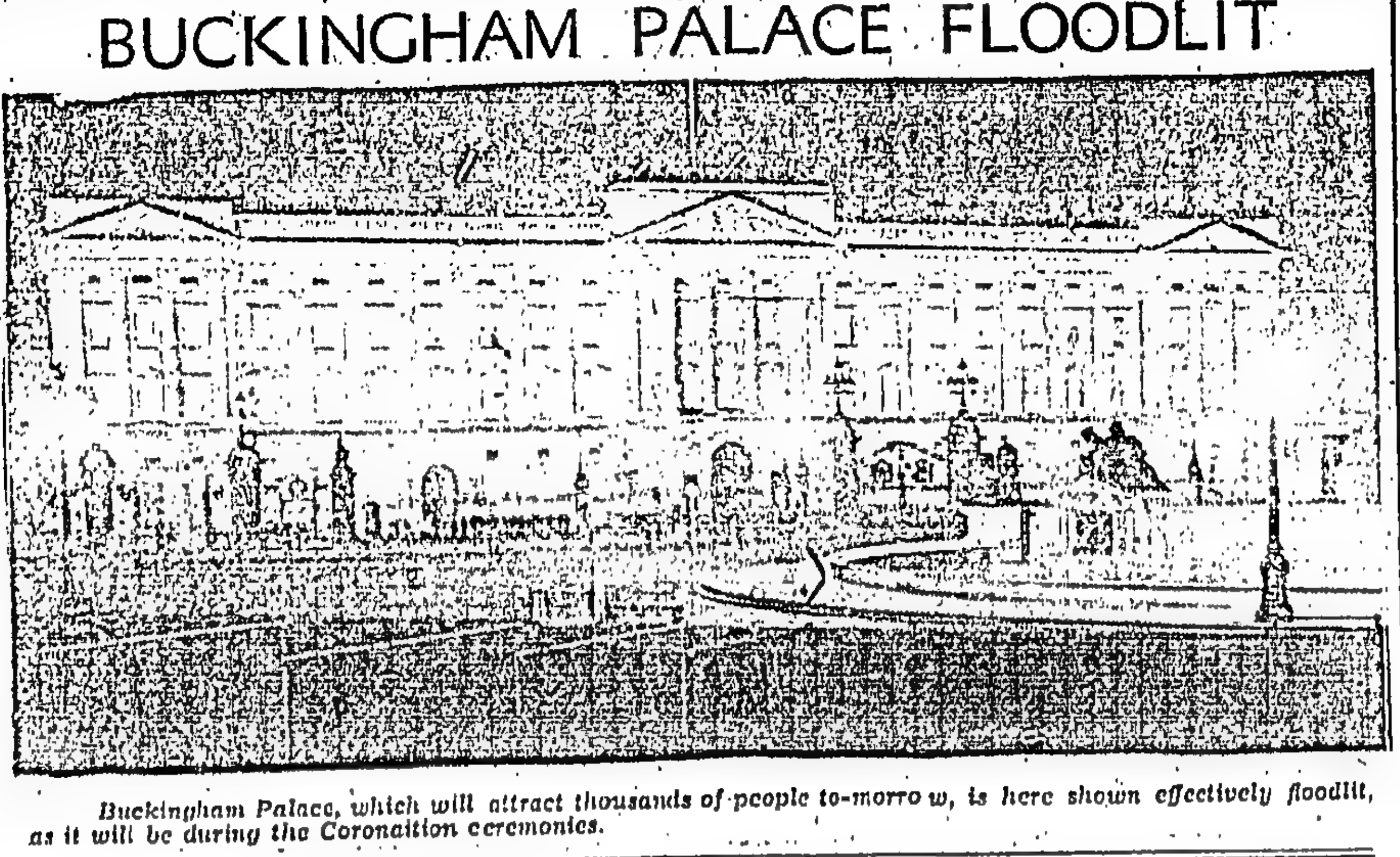
His Majesty has assumed the Colonization-in-Chief of several regiments and corps, and has appointed Queen Elizabeth, Queen Mary, other members of the Royal Family, and Field Marshal Lord Montgomery as Colonization-in-Chief of Honorary Colonies of other.

The Victorian Order is conferred upon Commander Maud of Norway, the Princess Royal, Princess Beatrice and Princess Louise, and the Duchess of Argyll.

Knighthoods were also conferred upon Commander Matheson, of the Orient Line and the cricketer, "Plum" Warner.

General Hubert Gough is made a Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath. Lieutenant-General Dill is made a Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath. Air Chief Marshal Sir John Steel is made a Knight.

(Continued on Page 3.)



Buckingham Palace, which will attract thousands of people to-morrow, is here shown effectively floodlit, as it will be during the Coronation ceremonies.

BRITISH POLICY SUSPECT

Chinese Newspapers Mistrust Anglo-Japanese Aim

Co-Operation May End Britain's Influence

Shanghai, May 11.

Anglo-Japanese conversations, which have been proceeding in London for the past week or more, continue to form the subject of editorial comment in Chinese newspapers.

The Shanghai *Sin Wan Pao* declares that Britain is prompted by a desire to protect her interests in China as well as to check further Japanese encroachment.

Although the newspaper expresses the opinion that "something tangible" is likely to be achieved as a result of the present conversations, it makes a warning forecast that "the doom of British influence in China" is sure if "Britain co-operates with Japan."—*Reuter*.

ALL READY FOR H.K. HOLIDAY

Full Details Of Colony Programme

Hongkong is on its toes to-day in preparation for the local celebrations of the biggest event in the Empire's history for many years.

Below is the programme from which the patriotic British citizen can take his choice in participating in the ceremonies in the heart of the Empire or in Hongkong.

Owing to a judicious arrangement of times, all items are easily within his reach except the final broadcast of His Majesty which will not come through until 3 a.m. (local time) on Thursday.

OCEAN FLIERS ACROSS

Merrill and Lambie Set Up Record Had To Stop To Ask Their Way

London, May 10.

Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie, pilot and co-pilot respectively of the speedy Lockheed transport plane which took off from New York yesterday afternoon, landed at Croydon at 6.38 p.m.

Merrill brought his machine down at North Weald, Essex, first, asked directions, got his bearings and proceeded immediately to Croydon. He landed there without further incident.

Having left New York at 4.35 p.m. the previous evening (which is Eastern Standard Time) the fliers made a quick passage. They propose to leave for New York with pictures of the Coronation on Wednesday night or early Thursday morning, no matter what the weather.—*Reuter*.

SET SPEED RECORD

London, May 10.

Briefly halting to get their bearings at North Weald, Essex, because of the prevailing mistiness, Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie landed their transport plane at Croydon at 6.38 p.m. to-day, barely missing the distinction of being the first aviators to make a non-stop New York to London crossing.

They report that bad weather delayed their arrival and that they hope to return to New York Thursday.

(Continued on Page 3.)

GABLE'S ACCUSER GAOLED

Mrs. Norton Sent To Prison For Year

Los Angeles, May 10.

Mrs. Violet Norton, who had tried to prove that Clark Gable was the father of her child, was sentenced to one year's imprisonment here to-day for misuse of the mails.

The Judge directed that the Immigration authorities should take care of Mrs. Norton after she had served her sentence.

According to the District Attorney when she leaves prison she will probably be deported to Canada, from which country she entered the United States.—*Reuter*.

CROWDS THROG LONDON ON EVE OF CORONATION

Wild Enthusiasm Shown When Members of Royal Family Encountered

London, May 10.

Two Westminster Abbey rehearsals ushered in Coronation Week to-day. Thousands of sight-seers stood in the rain and cheered the arrival of about 250 notables at the morning rehearsal. Then, in the afternoon, blessed by finer weather, excited crowds surged about the Royal car from which the King and Queen, both waving and smiling, drove to what was probably the final rehearsal of Wednesday's ceremony.

Buckingham Palace all day long was a focal point of interest of a multitude of Coronation visitors. Pall Mall was jammed with cars moving at a snail's pace. Thousands pressed about the Palace gates and admired the Australian troops on sentry duty. They gazed hopefully towards the Palace windows.

SHAMEEN GAY FOR HOLIDAY

Whole Community To Join In Festivity

Canton, May 11.

Across the gorgeously decorated British Bridge the small island of Shameen presents a carnival appearance to-day, decked with hundreds of flags and glittering with lights which line the Bund and streets opening into it.

A few yards from the foreshore lie four dressed river gunboats of the West River flotilla, standing by for the Coronation ceremonies, which will include a church service at which representatives of the Governor of Kwangtung, Mr. Wu Teh-chen, will attend. The Mayor of Canton, Mr. Tseng Yang-fu, will also be represented.

A Royal Salute from the guns of the river flotilla, a garden party at the residence of the British Consul-General, a naval parade, led by the band of the Seaforth Highlanders, Hongkong, and a Coronation Ball, will be the highlights of the celebration here. All nationalities are wholeheartedly co-operating on this happy occasion.—*Reuter*.

PRINCES ALSO ATTEND

The Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Kent also arrived at the rehearsal and took part in the Royal Procession to the Coronation Theatre. The Archbishop wore a cope of purple and gold.

Last night Londoners got their first memories of the Coronation in the shape of new stamps. Crowds had watched the decorations all night and thousands finally queued up outside the Post Offices, from midnight, to be on hand first thing in the morning for the new stamp issue. Over 35,000,000 stamps were sold during the day. The previous record for the number of stamps of a new issue sold in a day was 25,000,000.—*Reuter*.

TAKES NO PART IN CORONATION

Calcutta, May 10.

The Calcutta Corporation, as a protest against the "unwanted Constitution" and the detention without trial of 2,000 Indians on suspicion that they were terrorists, has decided not to participate in the Coronation celebrations, not to decorate or illuminate the city.—*United Press*.

LOVELY RESORT AREAS OFFERED TO H.K. PUBLIC

Hang Hau Sites To Be Sold By Auction

MILITARY ROADS OPEN NEW BEAUTY VISTAS

A brief announcement in last week's Government Gazette may foreshadow the end of the boom in popularity of beaches along the Castle Peak Road as popular bathing resorts for summer months.

The Gazette announcement advertises the sale by auction on Friday next week of 26 agricultural and building lots in the Hang Hau area.

The sale is the first of a series that will ultimately open the entire peninsula between Port Shelter and Junk Bay to the public. It embraces an area that contains the most beautiful sites and the cleanest beaches in the Colony.

FREE CORONATION SUPPLEMENT

With to-morrow's issue of the "Hongkong Telegraph," there will be presented free to readers a special 12-page Coronation Supplement. The Supplement will contain numerous illustrated articles touching on all aspects of the life of Their Majesties the King and Queen. Portraits of the leading officials in charge of the Hongkong celebrations will also appear, together with a complete list of the various committees and the local programme.

Coronation News Holds Spotlight

Chief Interest Of America To-day

Whole Nation To "Listen In"

New York, May 10.

Neither the shocking von Hindenburg disaster's inevitable aftermath—the inquiry into the causes of the tragedy—nor the adventurous flight of Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie across the Atlantic Ocean, are able to divert attention and interest from the Coronation. Stories of the preparations in London are given a prominent place in the whole of America's important press.

The New York Times Sunday edition carried nineteen columns of the coronation description. All newspapers in New York featured radio pictures.

The American who cannot go to London—and thousands are—will be able to hear at home almost as much about the ceremonies as those present. The leading broadcasting chains will be monopolised by the world's greatest news story of the day. Commentaries will be transmitted from over 50 strategic points in London, covering the proceedings from start to finish.

The climax of a day of almost continuous broadcasts will be the King's speech, which will be heard in every town and village in the United States.—*Reuter*.

STOP PRESS BY-ELECTIONS PENDING NOW

London, May 11.

Five by-elections are now pending—three owing to elevations to the Peerage of Sir Robert Horne, Sir George Peabody and Sir George Bowyer, two owing to the deaths of Sir James Blundell and Capt. F. E. Guest.—*Reuter*.

U.S. THEATRES TO BE PICKETED?

Hollywood, May 10.

A nation-wide picketing of theatres is expected to be undertaken by 340,000 persons, as a result of the strike in theatre unions which originated at the Hollywood studios.

Hal Roach and Warner Brothers have joined the Actors' Guild Agreement, thereby bringing all the major studios into the group.

Studio picketing has been greatly reduced.—*United Press*.

Flowers & Curls



Hair-style for the young and gay... hair brushed straight back off the forehead, arranged in flat curls up the back of the head. Perched on the top and well to the front, a flower—rose or gardenia—tucked among its leaves.

TARTLETS

easy to make dishes for that bun flight

HOME PAGE Cook has a sweet tooth, so when we discussed what we should write about for letter T she at once suggested Tartlets.

I've a taste for savouries myself, so to meet both our tastes we decided that a selection of tartlet fillings might be given for readers to make their own choice. So here they are.

SWEET

Chocolate

Cream together two egg-yolks and 3oz. castor sugar and add 4oz. stale cake-crumbs, 2oz. grated chocolate, 1/2oz. cornflour and 2oz. melted butter. Then stir in lightly the whisked egg-whites and bake in tartlets about 20 minutes. When cold cover with chocolate icing.

Custard

Make some custard—line your tartlet tins with paste and in the bottom of each put a good layer of jam. Pour the custard over and bake about half an hour in a moderate oven.

Date

Chop 4oz. stoned dates; whisk stiffly three whites of egg and add 3oz. sugar, 2oz. ground almonds and 2oz. potato flour. Fill tartlets, cover with buttered paper and bake for about 20 minutes. On serving cover each with a little red-currant jelly.

Lemon

Cream 4oz. butter with 4oz. castor sugar, beat in separately two eggs and then add the juice and finely grated rind of a lemon. Leave this mixture for at least 24 hours, then fill tartlets with it and bake about 20 minutes.

Maids of Honour

There are various ways of making these pleasant tartlets. Here is a simple one. Blanch, dry and pound 2oz. Jordan almonds with 4oz. castor sugar, add one egg and mix in half an ounce of fine flour, with two tablespoonfuls of cream and a tablespoonful of orange-flower water. Fill tartlets and bake 15 minutes.

Macaroon

Whisk two egg-whites with 4oz. of castor sugar and add 4oz. ground almonds to them. Put some jam in the bottom of your lined tartlet and moulds; then some of the macaroon

mixture on top. Across put two strips of paste and bake moderately for about 20 minutes.

SAVOURY

Anchovy

First bake the tartlets "blind," that is filled with rice or haricot beans so that they keep their shape. When they are cold fill them with whipped cream flavoured with anchovy essence and sprinkled with paprika pepper. A few capers may be added for decoration.

Cheese

Melt 1oz. butter, stir in 1oz. flour and moisten with half a pint of milk. Boil, stirring for three or four minutes, cool a little and add two or three egg-yolks and cook without boiling for another three minutes. Then add 4oz. grated cheese and finally the whisked egg-whites. Fill tartlets and bake for 20 minutes quickly.

Egg-and-Bacon

Fry for a minute or two three sliced onions with three tablespoonfuls of diced lean bacon. Put a little of this mixture into your tartlets and cover it with three eggs beaten in a pint of milk and seasoned with salt and pepper. Bake until the custard sets: about 25 minutes.

Onion

Chop some onions finely and fry them without coloration in butter. Then mix them with the yolk of an egg, put this mixture in your tartlets, cover them like mince pies and bake them. Cream can be added to the egg-and-onion mixture if liked.

Spinach

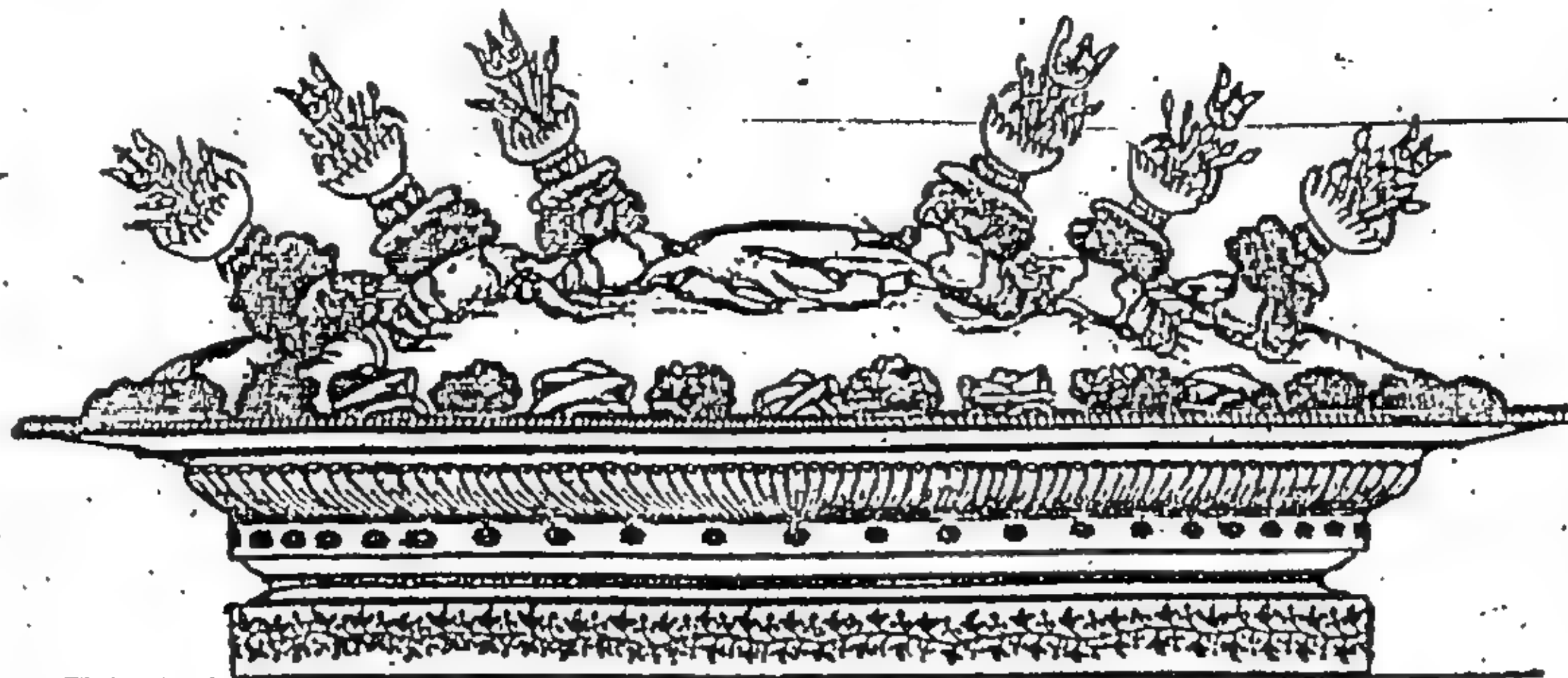
Wash and prepare a pound of spinach and put it through a mincing machine. Beat three eggs and add them to a pint of milk, adding the spinach afterwards. Mix well together and season with salt and pepper. Fill tartlets with this mixture, put a little dot of butter on each and bake about half an hour in a moderate oven.

Tomato

Peel and slice half a pound of tomatoes, and arrange the slices in your tartlets, seasoning them with salt, pepper and a little finely chopped onion or onion salt. Beat up two eggs with three-quarters of a pint of milk, season with a little salt and pepper, and pour over the tomatoes. Sprinkle with grated cheese and bake about 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

This dish would cost you £25

it is called SALMON A LA ROYALE, was prepared by George IV.'s chef.



Here the HOME PAGE COOK gives you a much less expensive version of it—but it's still a LUXURY DISH

THE great Careme was chef to George IV., and every one knows what that monarch's figure was like.

After reading Careme's instructions for salmon a la Royale, every one will understand why it was like it.

The fish being cleaned, throw salt in the inside, and rub some on the outside. Three hours afterwards wash it in several waters, drain, and wipe it, and fill the interior with a stuffing of whittings; keep the fish in its first shape and lay it in a fish-kettle with a mirepoix moistened with two bottles of champagne wine (the head should be tied) and the same quantity of fish stock.

When it boils cover it with a large sheet of strong paper, buttered, and let it boil for an hour.

Best side Up

NEATLY remove all the skin from it and glaze the best side with a light fish-glaze to which you have added some crayfish butter.

Garnish it with six silver skewers, on each of one of which has been threaded a small flat quenelle, bread-crumbed and fried to a fine colour, and a small ring of fillet of sole inlaid with shrimps, a fine black truffle, and a crayfish bearing upon its back a fillet of sole inlaid with shrimps.

Rich and Varied

PLACE round the fish a ragout of escallops of eels mixed with livers of burbot and mushrooms in a sauce perigieux (made with rich brown sauce, veal stock, Madeira, essence of truffles, and truffles cooked in Madeira), to which you have added a large spoonful of the liquor from the salmon, a little glaze, and fresh butter sufficient to render it smooth and rich. Serve some of it also in a sauce-boat.

Well, well, well. One hardly knows which to be sorrier for, the poor fish whose head had to be tied when all that champagne was lying about, or the poor cooks who had to

the liquor from the salmon should be added to the sauce.

The wine could be omitted from the cooking, and a different sauce could be served, made by adding a wineglassful of claret and a teaspoonful of anchovy essence to half a pint of rich brown sauce.

By the way, what about a piece of salmon served perfectly simply with a little of the water in which it was boiled? That, to my mind, is salmon at its most royal.

This is our Version

COMFORTED by the thought that the phrase "a la Royale" in cookery may mean almost anything or practically nothing, we will make an entirely different version of it.

Instead of a whole fish we will allow ourselves just four pounds of the best cut, and instead of all that vast quantity of champagne, just half a bottle of ordinary white wine. We will forget about the silver skewers, the crayfish, the truffles, and the rest of the decorations, and rely instead upon a few mushrooms, shrimps, and oysters (not of the most expensive kind).

Don't hurry It

COOK the fish gently for about an hour in the wine and a pint of fishstock to which have been added a bunch of parsley, a carrot, a small onion, and a few peppercorns.

Skin the salmon, place it on a dish, pour a little cream sauce over it, and garnish it on top and round the dish with cooked oysters, mushrooms, and shrimps neatly arranged.

Serve some more of the sauce about, or the poor cooks who had to

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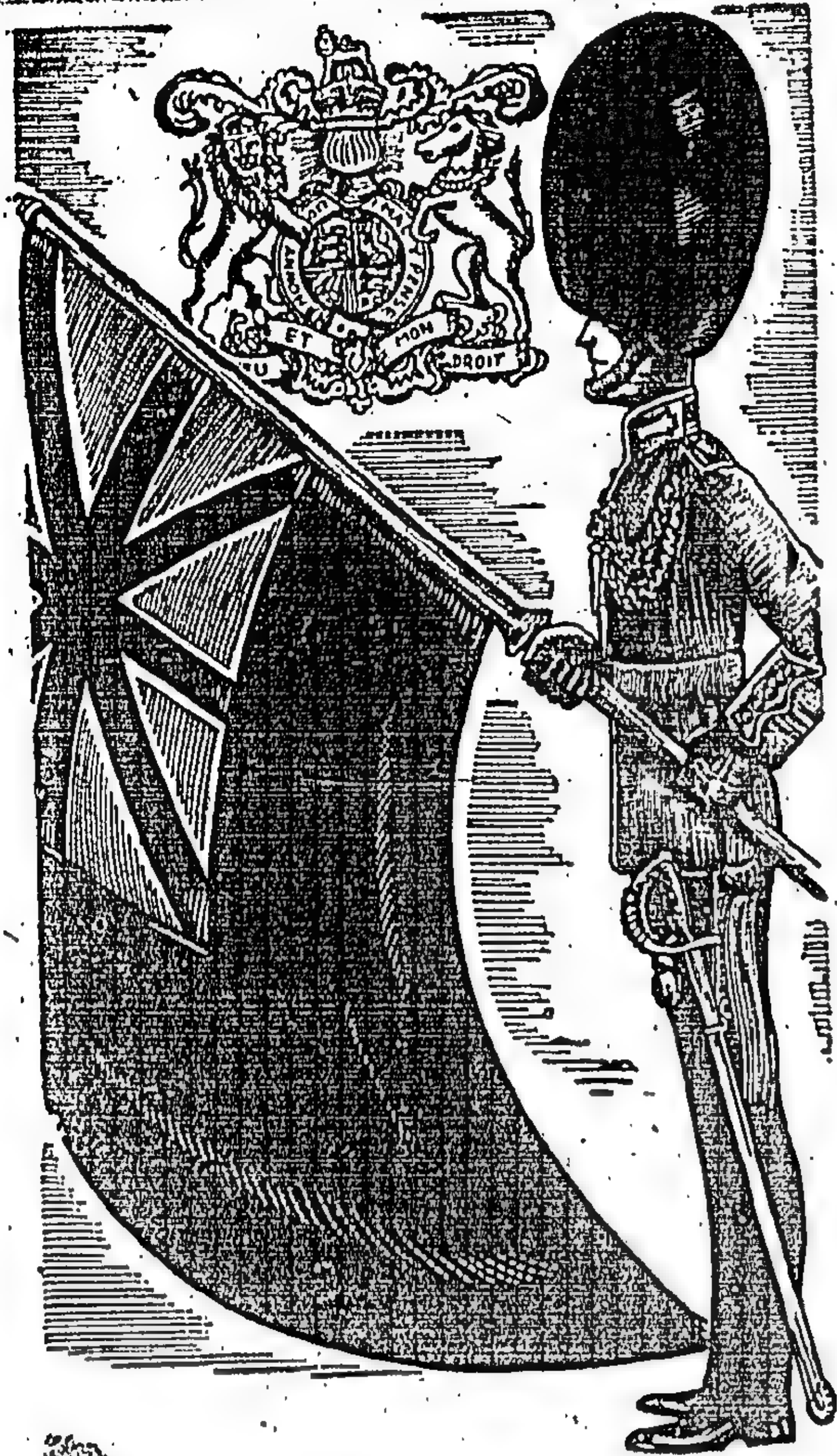
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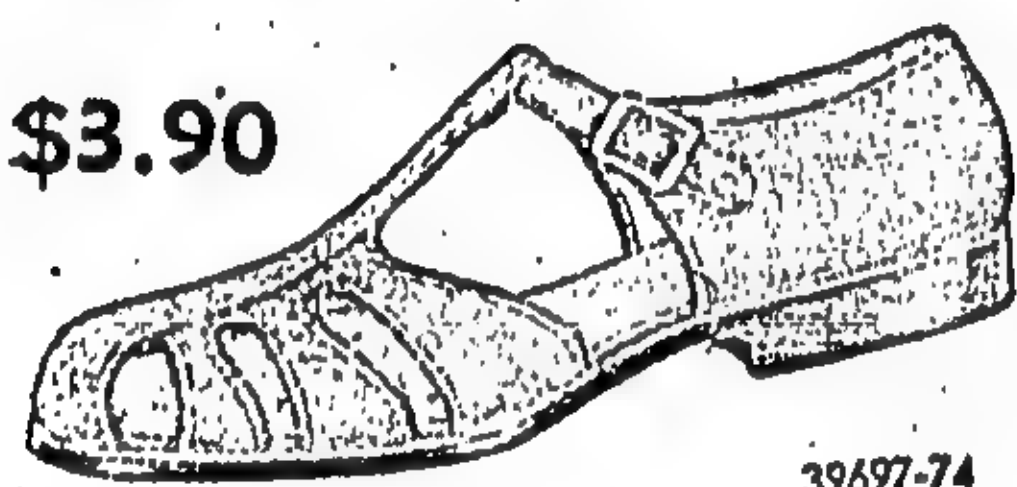


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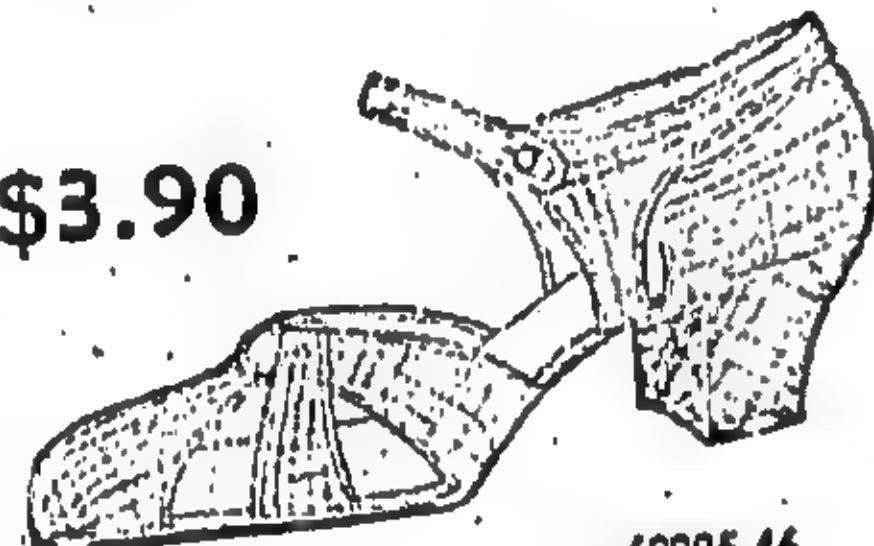


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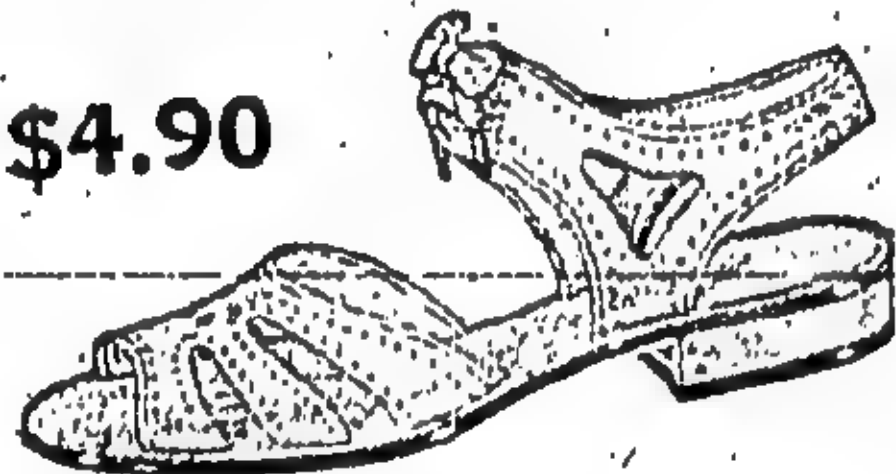
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BUSMEN CONTINUE STRIKE

Miners Strike Now Called For May 29

Compromise Talks All Fruitless

London, May 10. Coronation plans and the great London traffic problem have not been allowed to affect the calculations of the London bus strikers, who stubbornly refuse to settle. A conference of busmen's delegates today rejected the Transport Board's offer of compromise by 47 votes to 3. It decided to continue the strike and referred to the Executive Council the question of extending the walk-out to other services.

The industrial peace outlook deteriorated as a result of the busmen's decision and the announcement that the coal mine dispute was far from finished.

When the busmen's meeting concluded, Mr. Ernest Bevin, their leader, stated that the busmen overwhelmingly rejected the Transport Board's offer and had decided to continue their strike.

There are now prospects of a prolonged stoppage, and the additional danger of 12,000 tram and trolley-bus workers joining, Mr. Bevin points out.

ALL EFFORTS FRUITLESS

Efforts of the Minister of Mines to end the colliery dispute at Haworth also have proved fruitless, as the Nottingham colliery owners and the local trade union have declined to agree to an unconditional meeting with representatives of the Miners' Federation, which is insisting that the Notts union become affiliated with it.

The Federation thereupon decided to tender notices on Saturday for a strike on May 29.—Reuter.

PROVINCIAL STRIKES SETTLED

London, May 11. All provincial bus strikes are now settled.—Reuter.

AERODROME GIFT TO EMPIRE

SULTAN'S CORONATION GIFT APPROVED

London, May 10. It is officially announced that the Government has received with warm approval the offer of the Sultan of Kelantan to commemorate the Coronation of King George VI by allocating a site for an aerodrome at Kolabharu, with funds to provide for its maintenance.—Reuter.

WHEAT CROP FORECAST

Washington, May 10. The Department of Agriculture today forecast a winter wheat crop of 654,293,000 bushels, the largest since 1931 and predicted a harvest of 47,410,000 acres which is 77.4 per cent of normal. The Department also predicts a rye crop of 42,013,000 bushels from an acreage of 4,082,000 acres which is 78.4 per cent of normal. The report also states 17.1 per cent of the seeded wheat crop is abandoned.—United Press.

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Rome, May 10. Cordial greetings were exchanged.

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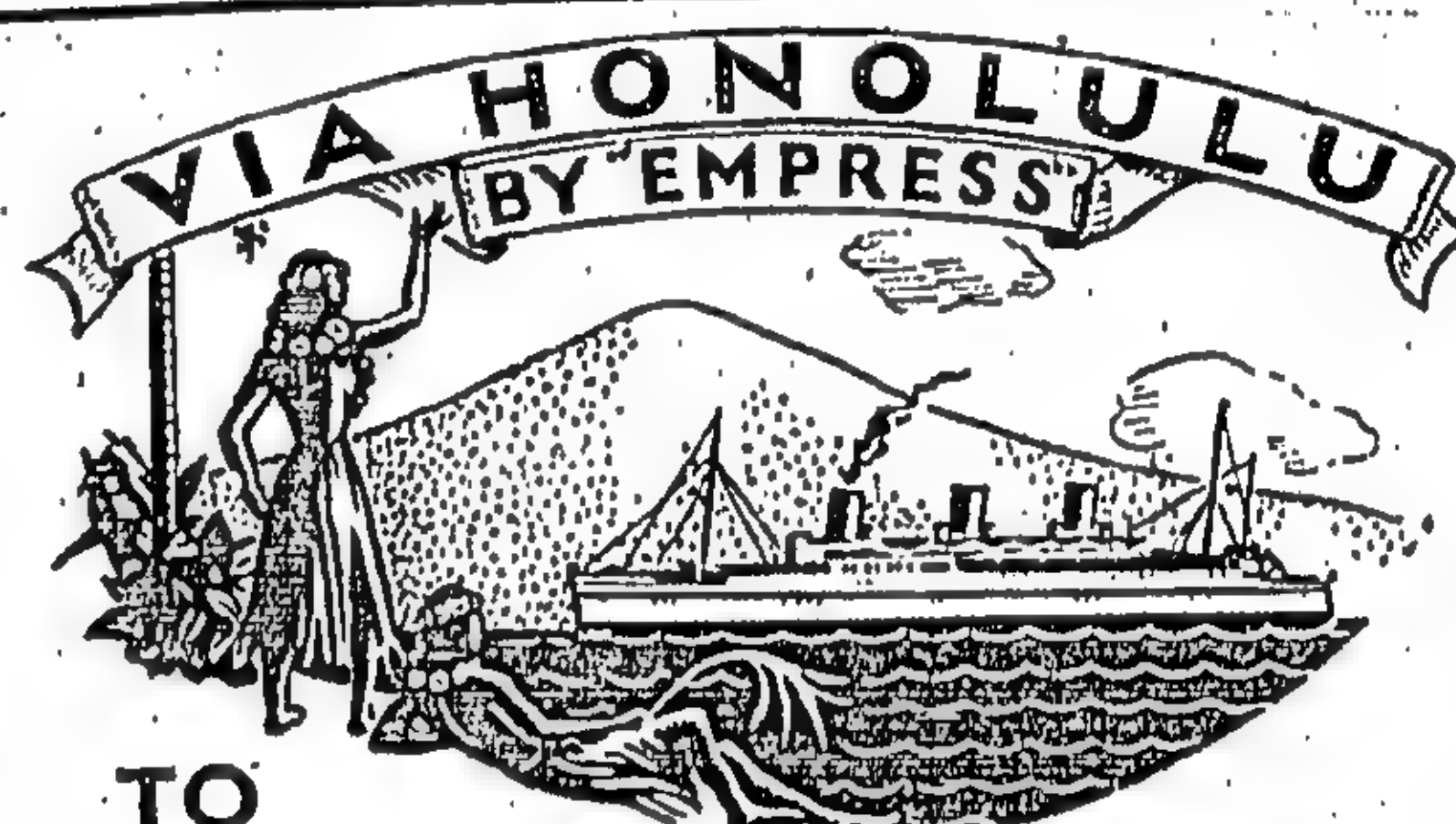
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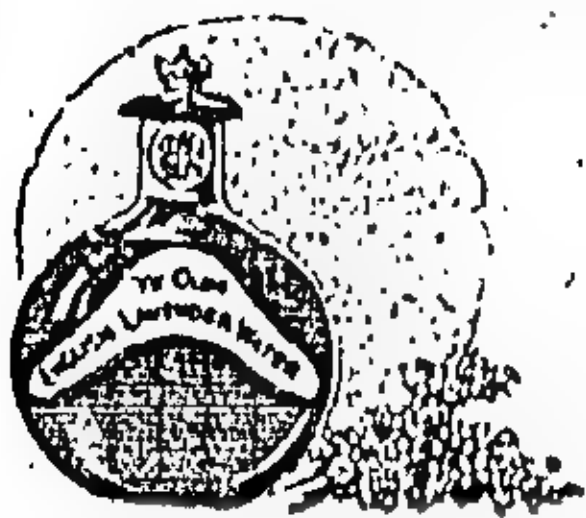
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DEATH.

MARSHALL.—At the Kowloon Hos-
pital, at 1.30 p.m., on May 11,
1937, Alexander Gray Marshall,
aged 36 years. Funeral will
pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m.
to-day.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY, MAY 11, 1937.

THE STRAIN OF MODERN LIFE

One of the reasons put forward on behalf of the London bus strikers for a shorter working day was the stress and strain caused by the speeding up of traffic in the city. Apart altogether from the merits or demerits of the strike, there can be no questioning the fact that busmen, like all other workers, whether engaged in manual labour or not, feel the extra strain thrust upon them by modern conditions of life. Every generation, however, has regarded itself as being harder worked than the people of other days. None the less, it is a fact that almost everybody to-day enjoys more leisure and spends more time in recreation and amusement. It is equally true that many of the irksome duties of the past are now performed by machinery, the tending of which, however, may itself impose fresh strains on the worker. Certain it is that our forebears worked longer hours for less pay than the average workman of to-day. When we come to look closely into this question, we find that a great deal of the stress of modern life is self-imposed—the result of restlessness and the constant search for new distractions. In a recent survey of industrial and social conditions during the past half-century, Mr. Stanley Baldwin remarked that nervous breakdowns were not recognised in the old days. That is not to say that nervous illness did not exist. But if there has been an increase in neurosis in recent years, it may be due in part to failure to use wisely the greatly increased leisure, to a decline of physical fitness because of our more intense civilisation, to the indoor life that so many of us lead, and to the general disregard of moderation in all things and of the necessity of ordering our lives so that physical and mental wear and tear may be minimised. The campaigns by most Governments for the encouragement of physical fitness may, if the public responds as it should, have beneficial effects in offsetting the tendencies of modern life, but it is beyond question

WHEN KING GEORGE IV WAS CROWNED

ARRANGED "according to the orders in the Gazette" in "full evening costume (except low-cut dresses)" with white gloves and fan, Miss Fry sets off with her friends at 2.30 a.m. The first letter, dated from Plashet, "seventh month, 23, 1821," describes the party—"Chenda, John and John Gurney under my immediate care, and Sam Hoare with his tutor, Mr. Davis"—and continues:

We arrived at our place of destination: a sort of large platform (or gallery), with seats raised one above the other. The few lower tiers divided into boxes like a theatre. This gallery was outside the western end of the Abbey. There was a roof to keep us from the weather; and the whole was lined with scarlet cloth, with draperies in front of the same. Underneath were good retiring and refreshment rooms, with every sort of convenience and comfort.

Our view was capital, but to give any idea of it you must study a sketch I took about six in the morning.

Seventh month 24th. The platform on which the King was to walk was under us; it was lined by a single row of infantry, who had been sleeping all night on their posts, and were not yet awake, each poor fellow with his knapsack under his head.

About five o'clock the sun rose in cloudless splendour above the houses, and then threw a beautiful glowing light on some angles of the grey stone of the Abbey. The bells of it, and the neighbouring churches, rang forth their peals. The Park and the Tower guns fired a salute; the bands played "God Save the King," and the day seemed to have begun in earnest.

It was with great good humour, and order; the poor soldiers began here and there to arms. A second gun fired; the procession had left the hall. The universal cry from the back seats was "Down! Down!" "Hats off." "We cannot see!"

In a few seconds the Herb Woman and her Maids were indistinctly seen to the left, coming slowly towards us, with a good deal of stage effect in their action in throwing the flowers (rose leaves).

Miss Fellows herself was dressed in a plain white satin gown, the body fitting tightly to her fine figure; over it a scarlet mantle lined with white, fastened on each shoulder and confined into a peak behind at the bottom of the waist. Its effect was extremely novel and elegant. She held a small gold wire basket lined with satin, from which she scattered flowers, and when it wanted refilling turned round and it was replenished by her attendants from their more ample supplies. These attendants were six young girls of our own age, carrying a large basket between two; these also were of gold wire, in shape and size like clothes baskets. Three baskets in all.

A few of the lowest mob tried to cheer her, but all the rest of the world hissed and groaned in the most tremendous manner, and the mob finding which way the tide was going joined it. Excepting this, all was quiet the whole day.

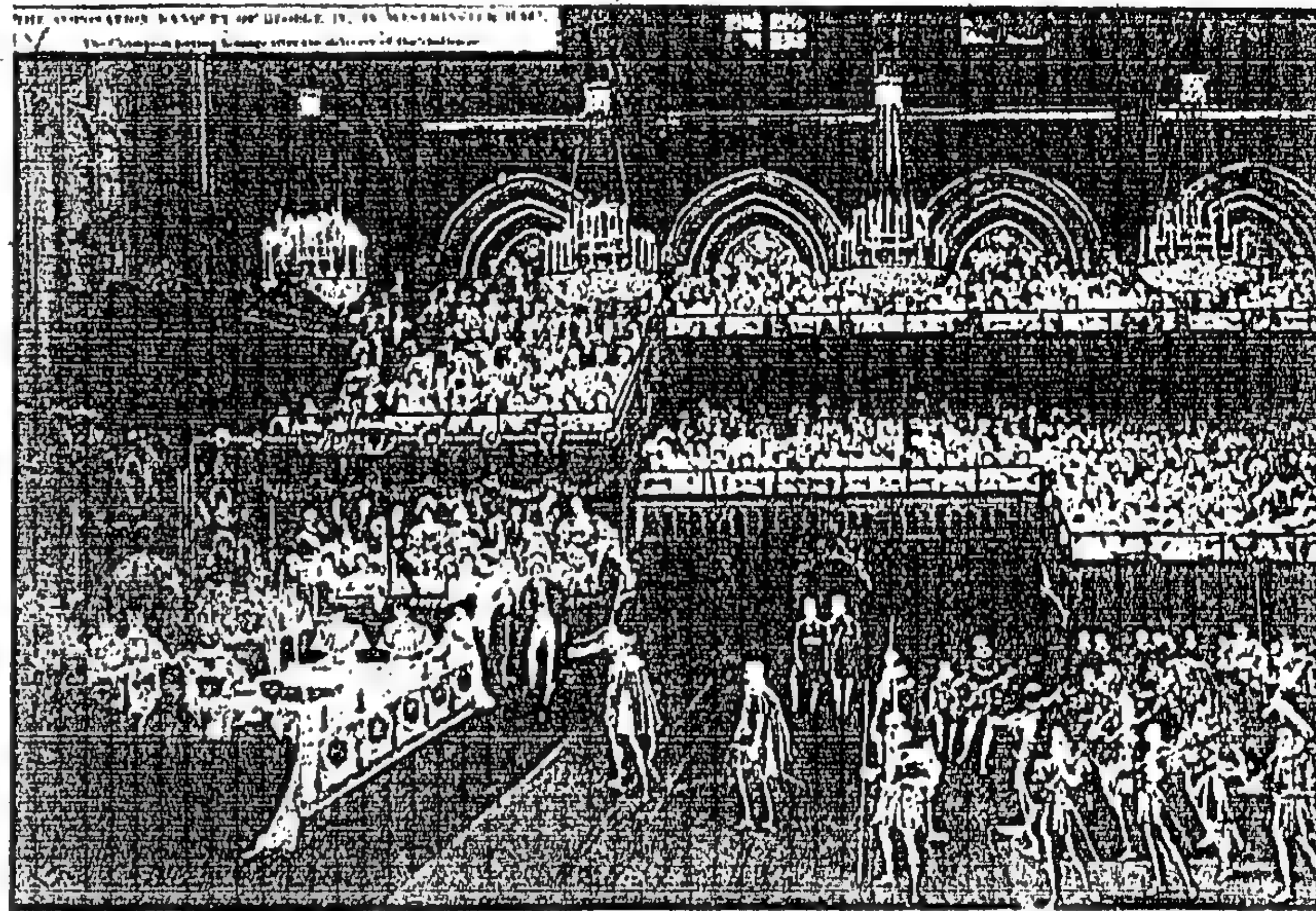
At that time (eight o'clock) the soldiers were got under arms, and the Dean and Chapter of Westminster came out of the west door in grand procession, and proceeded along the platform to Westminster Hall to meet the King with the Regalia which they carried on velvet cushions. The Dean carried the Crown. The Prelates, the Cross of Gold, the Sceptre, the Globe, and the Dove, &c. They were followed by the Canons and Chorists, with books in their hands. The whole effect was truly Roman Catholic, and unlike reformed England especially as their copes were made exactly like those formerly worn by abbots, and other high ecclesiastics.

The guns fired at the same time; and announced that the

that there still remains a wide field for exploration in the problems produced by modern methods of living. Yet, whilst Governments can do much, it is to the individual that we must look if present evils are to be overcome—and there can be no better approach to the issue than a general determination to make wise and healthy use of the hours which we have to spare when the day's work is done.

Letters from Katharine Fry, a Quaker girl, to her sister Rachel describe the Coronation procession of King George IV—the last of the "walking processions"—which she watched from a seat outside the west door of Westminster Abbey. The following passages give an amusing record of her observations.

The invitation to join the privileged party came through the "kindness of Uncle Buxton"—Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton, prominent at this time in the suppression of the slave trade. Miss Fry in 1875 compiled a remarkable Buxton family history, from which the following letters are quoted, by the courtesy of Major H.F. Buxton, of Ware.



The Coronation Banquet of King George IV at Westminster Hall. Serving the first course

King had entered Westminster Hall. About eleven o'clock the soldiers were again got under arms. A second gun fired; the procession had left the hall. The universal cry from the back seats was "Down! Down!" "Hats off." "We cannot see!"

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These being the only women in the procession, and coming first, attracted a great attention and interest, and were received with much applause. When the Herb Woman reached the Abbey door, and the Canons of Westminster were under our gallery, the procession stopped and all the bands struck up a thundering "God Save the King."

A dead silence followed. Then the Canons and Chorists began to sing that fine anthem, "Let us go into the House of God in Company," and the procession moved gently forward.

[Miss Fry here remarks on the beauty of the costumes of the Knights Commanders and the Knights Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath.]

The Peers did not look well; their crimson velvet robes, and quantity of ermine, had no drapery, looked heavy and but little displayed the silver tissue dresses they wore underneath; at the same time they looked splendid and noble.

The gayest and most gaudy dresses were the Gentlemen of the Privy Chamber, in purple satin slashed with orange colour, black hats and red feathers, and looked really ugly, though sumptuous.

The King, wearing his black hat and white feathers, looked very much like a picture of Henry VIII. His train was borne by several pages in gold tissue dresses; among others I recognised Lord Rocksavage. The whole was closed by the Jolly Beefeaters.

The procession was about an hour and a-half passing. At half-past three all was again life and bustle, and resumed its former appearance.

The procession was soon seen slowly to emerge from the Abbey door and to retrace its steps, again passing in review under us. They all now wore their hats, or coronets, and the King his Crown; he also carried the ensigns of Royalty, sceptre, globe, &c. looked truly kingly, affable and pleasing; but also too much like a King in a penny picture.

In a postscript Miss Fry with something like a note of regret remarks that the procession "is said to have fallen far short of that of King George III. in consequence of the absence of the Queen and Peersesses."

*Queen Caroline to whom the King had refused permission to attend the Coronation.

WHAT THEY SAY

I consider an egg new laid up to seven days. After that it becomes a fresh egg. It may be in a new laid condition some time after. It depends on the condition of the egg when it is laid.

—Poultry Expert.

A fool cannot enter a room or go out, sit down or stand up or keep quiet like an intelligent man.

—Moliere.

To-day the cinema is a bigger gambling than horse-racing. Thank Heaven, I am no matinee idol, for my popularity would have gone long ago.

—Film Actor H. B. Warner.

There is nothing in life more obnoxious than a man who devotes many hours a day merely to attaining physical fitness.

—Anceurin Bevan, M.P.

By robbing life of its wonder at school we have created a generation of escapists, people who seek in crowds, cinemas, dances, military organisations, some even in churches, to shake a thrill that cannot be satisfied in that manner. It can only be satisfied by learning the art of living.

—T. F. Coade, Headmaster, Bryanston School.

You gotta have music. Strip-tensing without music ain't art.

—New York Show Girl.

"If a beating damages a boy's mental make-up for six weeks, then I fear all the English public schools must be full of potential nervous wrecks."

—Dr. P. G. Bentlif, Jersey Prison Medical Officer.

When a stupid man is doing something he is ashamed of, he always declares that it is his duty.

—G. B. Shaw.

If things were seen as they truly are, the beauty of bodies would be much abridged.

—Sir Thomas Browne.

When I see a beautiful young woman walking into a restaurant, perfectly dressed, but with a cigarette in her mouth, it is not that I object to her smoking, but I do think that in such circumstances it detracts from her appearance and her good taste.

—Sir Walter Gilbey.

It is at last possible to answer the question of how civilisation emerged. It is fairly certain that, as we understand it, it began in Iran between 8000 and 6000 B.C.

—A. V. Pope, President of American Institute for Persian Art and Archaeology.

"The real cause of this parking trouble in London is, I think, due to laziness on the part of people who will not take the train. They think they must jump into their cars at their houses, and be carried straight to the doors of their offices."

—Sir George Broadbridge, Lord Mayor of London.

I deal at times with 5,000 letters of complaint a week.

—U.S. Film Censor, Joseph I. Breen.

I am not impressed by the biceps built on bread without butter. I reject as worthless the tape measure as evidence of physical fitness which will survive prolonged strain.

—R. J. Patten, President of National Union of Teachers.

The Boy Scout idea is a net set to catch the world in Anglo-Saxon Kultur.

—Munich paper "Neueste Nachrichten."

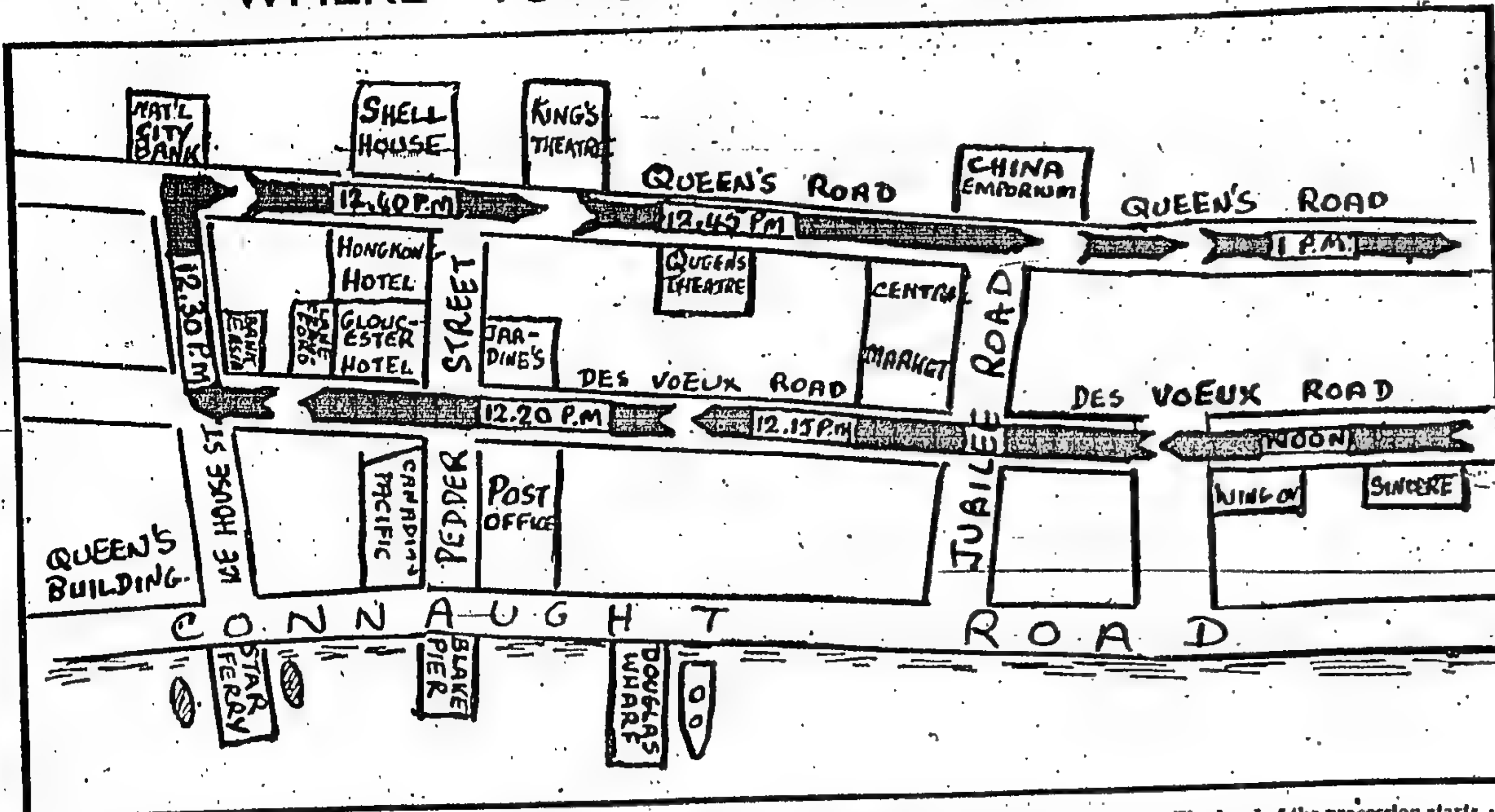
Democracies are like quicksand, while our political ideals are like granite.

—Mussolini.

I like a woman who stays at home. I do not believe in women having a career. When I come into power I shall discourage women having jobs when they are married.

—Leon Degrelle.

WHERE TO SEE THE PROCESSION



The Chinese dragon procession will follow the route indicated by arrows during to-morrow's procession. The head of the procession starts off from Bechers Street at 11 a.m., and will enter Des Voeux Road West from Hill Road, travelling to the heart of the city, and back along Queen's Road for the later tour through the mid-levels, as indicated by the arrows. The times given must be regarded as approximate, owing to the possibility of the procession either being held up or making a faster passage than anticipated. The procession is due to arrive at Government House at 2.30 p.m.

Hongkong and the Coronation

EARLY FORETASTE OF BRILLIANT SCENES FOR CORONATION DAY

CITY BECOMES A FAIRYLAND IN TEST OF LIGHTS

UNLIKE the Jubilee celebrations in 1935, when white lights were the sole method of illumination, colour is to predominate to-morrow night.

For weeks, thousands of workmen have been installing red, white and blue bulbs in the countless sockets that festoon our buildings.

Many of the installations were tested last night. The result almost passes description, and even the partial display shows that the remarkable Jubilee illuminations will be outdone in brilliance and artistry.

Practically the entire central portion of the city was illuminated last night.

Notably outstanding in the general effect were the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation building and the P. & O. building. The floodlit bank skyscraper, surmounted by two brilliantly illuminated crowns, made onlookers breathless with its dignity and beauty. The P. & O. Building, employing coloured bulbs with particular effect, is like a flashing jewel in a setting of diamonds. Illuminations are on a much more generous scale than was the case at the Jubilee celebrations.

CORONATION WEATHER PROSPECTS

Probably Fair But Cloudy In H.K.

According to present indications, Hongkong should have fair but possibly cloudy weather for Coronation Day.

The weather report issued by the Royal Observatory at 10 a.m. to-day states: The anticyclone has moved eastwards and now covers South Japan and neighbouring seas. A shallow depression has developed over Manchuria. The southern depression is situated in the Balintang Channel, probably moving north-eastwards. Forecast: East winds, moderate; fair.

The Observatory reports that the fine weather has been confined to Hongkong and neighbourhood, but it extends northwards to Amoy this morning. It may be attributable to the depression in the Balintang

MACAO SENDS DELEGATES

The Colony of Macao will be officially represented in Hongkong on the occasion of the Coronation of H.M. the King. Commander A. Oliveira, who in addition to being in command of the garrison of Macao, is Chairman of the Municipal Council of Macao, arrived by the warship this morning.

He will be followed this afternoon by Dr. Sampao, Colonial Secretary of the Colony. The Portuguese delegation will pay an official call on the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, to-morrow morning.

Channel, but as that is moving away from the China Coast, cloudiness is probable.

There is at present no indication of rain.

H.M.S. EAGLE WILL BE IMPRESSIVE SIGHT

One of the most impressive sights to-morrow will be the Manning and Cheering of ships of H.M. Navy. The ceremony, which will take place at noon, is one of the most colourful in naval annals.

The evolution of manning and cheering ships consists of the whole ship's company evenly spaced around the extreme outside of the ship's deck, with their hands holding the rails, and each man's arms crossing the arms of his neighbours.

From this position the men will, at a given signal, raise their heads and give three cheers for His Majesty the King. H.M.S. Eagle, which so recently arrived on China Station, should

provide a most impressive sight to-morrow. By reason of her long, straight deck, which is over 600 feet in length, the effect of Manning Ship will be even more striking in this than in other types.

The Naval authorities have moored H.M.S. Eagle to Buoy No. A1 in order to give the public an opportunity of witnessing the ceremony, which should be seen quite clearly from Queen's Pier or from passing Star ferries.

Silver Dragon Receives A "Soul" In Impressive Rites

A DRAGON IS NOT SUCH UNTIL IT HAS BEEN INSTILLED WITH LIFE. IT MAY HAVE BEEN MADE OF THE BEST MATERIAL. SILVER OR GOLD SCALES MAY HAVE BEEN PART OF ITS PRECIOUS MAKE-UP, BUT UNTIL IT HAS GONE INTO A TEMPLE FOR A CEREMONY WHICH LITERALLY MEANS PUTTING A SOUL INTO ITS LONG BODY, IT IS WITHOUT MEANING OR PURPOSE IN A WORLD WHICH TAKES ITS PLEASURES SERIOUSLY.

Early this morning therefore the Silver Dragon of the Fishmongers Guild, was taken from its lair in a Kennedy Town godown to the Buddhist Man Mo Temple at Hollywood Road, for a ritual which consisted of applying blood to certain vital parts as the eyes and nose.

On former occasions a cock was sacrificed in the process, but to-day vermillion, as an excellent substitute was used to produce the results desired.

The honour of initiating the first of the Coronation "monsters" fell on the Hon. Colonial Secretary (Mr. R. A. C. North).

The ritual was carried out according to a formula laid down by a Buddhist authority, and the transformation it wrought was remarkable. The Dragon became a very lively, spirited creature, and as it cavorted its way back to its den, its progress was watched by thousands of people who were thus given a foretaste of the treat in store to-day.

PUBLIC TO PAY PIPER

Foodstuff Prices Advanced

One result of the cost of the Coronation celebrations locally is to put up the prices of foodstuffs. This fact is revealed by investigations conducted yesterday by a Telegraph reporter to-day.

At a well-known Chinese restaurant in town a printed notice was exhibited at the counter, in plain, undisguised terms announcing that extra charges were being made during Coronation week for foodstuffs which were costing more on account of "the many things to go into the Chinese street processions."

The line of inquiry suggested, led to the Central Market where it was discovered that

Beef and pork were up by 10 per cent.

Vegetables by approximately 15 per cent.

Poultry and fish by 20 per cent.

Out of the \$200,000 which the Chinese shows will cost the general public by the time the last porter has been paid off, only \$12,000 is contributed by the Government.

The remainder is being covered by various Guilds and by donations in cash from individuals and firms.

Medals For Hongkong Children

77,229 DISTRIBUTED

A total of 77,229 Coronation medals have been distributed to the children of all the schools in the Colony.

Of this number, 64,900 were distributed among the pupils of approximately 1,000 private English and vernacular schools, while the remainder were shared by 19 Government and 17 Grant institutions and the Command Education Office.

The Government schools are: King's College, 776 medals; Queen's College, 591; Bell's Girls', 557; Ellis Kadoorie, 414; Yau-mat, 277; Central British, 207; Vernacular Middle, 240; Ellis Kadoorie Indian, 199; Wanchai, 185; Gap Road, 163; Vernacular Normal School for Women, 162; Junior Technical, 130; Kowloon Junior, 110; Un Long, 100; Tai-po, 94; Quarry Bay, 92; Peak, 75; Cheung Chau, 94; and Tai-po Normal School, 42.

Grant Schools—Wah Yan College, 908; La Salle, 800; St. Joseph's, 696; St. Mary's, 590; Italian Convent, 553; Wai Yan Branch School, 487; Mun-sang, 472; French Convent, 405; Diocesan Boys', 359; Maryknoll Convent, 354; Ying Wa, 340; Diocesan Girls', 338; St. Paul's, 330; St. Stephen's Girls', 280; St. Stephen's, 278; St. Francis, 167; and Diocesan Girls' Junior School, 61.

The Command Education Office were allotted 420 medals for distribution among the military schools.

QUEEN MARY'S GIFT

London, May 10. The Queen Mother has presented fourteen engravings to the nation, all eighteenth century pictures, of the Royal Family of France.—Reuter.

PORTUGUESE ARTIST'S UNIQUE DISPLAY

For the past few weeks the artist of the Portuguese community, Mr. M. F. Baptista, has been engaged in the Club Lusitano on a scheme of decorations of the Club building for the Coronation celebrations.

Mr. Baptista was given a free hand in the design, assisting him is Mr. J. J. Lima. Much progress has been made with the plan. It is such as has commended itself to the Club Committee and received the cordial approval of the older members, who were invited to express an opinion on the outlines of the scheme before the finishing touches were added to complete the whole of the Club's unique display.

The motif adopted by the artist is reproductions of photographs of Their Majesties the King and Queen, and the British Crown. The whole of the Club's spacious elevation on Ice House Street will be utilised for the display of the various sections, which will go to make up, when assembled, a very artistic collection.

In the central part of the facade of the building is a huge crown, 8 ft. in height and 9 ft. wide. No detail of the Crown has been omitted. The Royal Crown Jewels are in excellent imitation with coloured glass tinsel, the colours of the various precious stones being reproduced with the same material, which is rain proof. This Crown surmounts the whole design in the central arch, beneath which is the legend in large letters, "God Bless Their Majesties," which stretches across from end to end of the columns for the whole width of the Club building.

Fittingly placed below the Crown, in the central archway of the first floor, are lifelike reproductions of the likenesses of King George VI. and Queen Elizabeth, and on the right and left pillars, respectively, are shown the initials "G.R." and "E.R." At the two ends of the broad verandah, panels of the Union Jack in red, white and blue occupy prominent positions, and these are surmounted by the national flags of Great Britain floating from flagpoles. At the main entrance of the Club building are displayed four shields, each of which represents one of the four sides of the Royal Standard. In all, ten panels worked on drawing-paper mounted on plywood make up the whole of the attractive scheme.

Competent judges who have seen the display as a whole, as the various sections lay on the floor of the Club Hall, pronounce the effect of the Coronation display as one of unique artistic merit which is likely to excite the admiration of those who will be passing Ice House Street and Lower Albert Road on the night of the Coronation celebrations. The panels are all worked in colours, including the likenesses of Their Majesties. In order that the colour effect may be seen to best advantage, and the effect of the coloured glass tinsel be reproduced realistically, the whole of the design, will be floodlit at night.

The Club will be open to members and their friends on the occasion, and many there will be able to avail themselves of the hospitality of the Committee and members to participate on an occasion of so much rejoicing in the Colony, in which our Portuguese friends are exerting their best efforts to contribute their share in the decoration of private and national buildings so as to complete the public scheme into the spirit of which all communities are entering to ensure its fullest success.

King Becomes Chief Colonel Of Fusiliers

BATTALION DELIGHTED

Amongst the Colonies-in-Chief His Majesty the King has assumed in that of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, the second Battalion of which is now stationed in Hongkong.

Only two Sovereigns have become Colonel-in-Chief of this famous Regiment, the first to do so being King George V. The designation was, until the reign of King George V, usually reserved for the Prince of Wales, the last so being King Edward VII before he ascended the Throne.

The appointment came as a surprise to Lt. D.M. Barchard, Commanding Officer of the 2nd Battalion, to whom the information was conveyed by the Telegraph.

"I have received no official notification of the fact yet," Lt. Col. Barchard.

"Speaking as Commanding Officer, I am certain that not only the Second Battalion but the entire Regiment will be delighted at the honour bestowed upon us by His Majesty."

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Clubhouse Chatter

QUEER HAPPENINGS IN THE TENNIS WORLD? BECOMING A CIRCUS

QUEER happenings in the tennis world these days. George Lott wants to dot Fred Perry on the nose... I wish the cables had told us why... I am prompted to throw out an innuendo by observing that the last time Lott beat Perry was four years ago... I imagine Bill Tilden was delighted... This is showmanship taken to the nth degree... That's out-Baering Baer... And it should give Maxie a great idea for his next scrap... Why not take a tennis racket into the ring and bang his opponent playfully over the head with it?

This Is "Temperament"

TWO English girl tennis players recently walked off the courts because they did not like the way their opponents were winning... We must bear in mind that the good name of tennis is at stake, so we call that "Temperament"... A little more of this sort of thing and the word "sport" will have no affiliation to the game of tennis.

Another "Betty"?

I SEE too that Miss Dorothy Round has twice been beaten by an "unknown" player whose name is Miss McOstrich. Perhaps it was the name which gave Miss Round a pain in the neck. Within 24 hours Miss McOstrich was adopted by the newspapers as a "Dark Horse of Wimbledon", a "New British tennis hope", the "most promising player since Miss Nuthall"... It's the last description which disturbs. Memory tells me that it was the London newspapers which ruined Miss Nuthall... Told her so often that she was the world's greatest player since Suzanne Lenglen that everybody, except her opponents, believed it, and within a very few years she had become a comparatively second-rater.

This Mixed Doubles Mystery

COMING nearer home we find that the entries for this summer's tennis league fall one short of last year. That's a pity, but not half so much as the disappointing entries for the mixed doubles league... One day I am going to discover the precise reason for the lack of interest in the mixed doubles competition... I've been trying to fathom it for a long time, but none of the reasons advanced have impressed me. I don't believe it is due to a dearth of lady players... walk round your clubs any afternoon of the week and note the large number of ladies playing... and the majority are no mere novices... Years ago the Ladies Recreation Club entered a team in the mixed doubles... which club or clubs have absorbed these players?... There must be dozens of lady players only too eager to participate in the league... Is it the fault of the men, who tend to become tedious, and regard mixed doubles as a discouragement to enter the mixed doubles in the league... Is it the fault of the men, who tend to become fastidious, and regard mixed doubles being beneath their dignity?... I have heard it claimed that it is the "spirit of intense competition" which discourages teams to enter the mixed doubles. This, I regard, as so much rot, and is merely a high-falutin and insincere way of saving face. The sheer fun of the game and the pleasure of mixing afterwards in an atmosphere of friendliness and sociability out-balance any such complaints as "intense competitive spirit", even if that complaint were true, which it isn't.

Tsui in Europe

I BELIEVE Tsui Wal-puh, our former tennis champion, is going to do himself and Hongkong proud during the next few months. One noted with satisfaction his achievement in the Berlin International Tennis Tournament last week, when with Klio Sin-kie as a partner,

he reached the final of the men's doubles. That they lost robbed them of a 100 per cent triumph, but that they progressed so far in the company of international players of repute is a most significant pointer. Tsui will have the French Championships to give him further practice and experience before he heads for Wimbledon, and I rather imagine that by the time he completes his pilgrimage to the Mecca of lawn tennis, he will be a very much better player than when he set out from Hongkong. Nothing would give us greater pleasure than to see Hongkong's protégé advance through two or three rounds at Wimbledon.

The Green Pastures Are Now Light Gray

A CLOSING note. Groundsmen at the Hongkong Cricket Club are making those green pastures take on the appearance of garden allotments. Large patches of green lawn have been converted into rectangles of light gray earth. But it's only temporarily and in order to make way for better courts in the future. This is but another reminder of the heavy toll the Colony tennis championships take of the Cricket Club ground. Six weeks of continuous play is bound to make a mess of any court, and it says much for the public-spiritedness of the H.K.C.C. that they are willing to take such risks for the sake of Colony tennis.

VAULTING RECORD

Palo Alto, Cal., May 9. The world's pole vault record of 14 feet 6.5 inches was twice-broken today.

George Varoff's great jump was beaten by both Bill Sefton and Earl Meadows, both improving on the old skinned the bar at 14 feet 8.5 inches, mark by a full two inches. They—Reuter.

By "Veritas"

Football

Unusual Step By Emergency Committee

REFERS CASE TO COUNCIL

The Emergency Committee of the Hongkong Football Association took an unusual step last evening when, after briefly considering the recent dismissal from the field of Tam Kong-pak, they decided to refer the matter to the next meeting of the Council.

It is understood Tam Kong-pak, who was sent off the field for allegedly kicking Blake in the recent Governor's Cup match, is submitting a lengthy defence. The Council next meets on Tuesday, May 27.

KOTEWALL CUP Contest Raises \$4,600 For Charity

As a result of the Kotewall Football Cup competitions, Hongkong charities will benefit by \$4,600.

The distribution of the money was announced following a meeting of the Football Council last night. They are:

South China to distribute \$3,000 as follows:—Tung Wah Hospital, \$1,000; South China Free School, \$1,000; Pao Wong Hospital, \$200; Chek Kwan Yee School, \$100; Ministering Children's League, \$700.

Navy to distribute \$800, of which the M.C.L. will receive \$500. Army to distribute \$800, of which the M.C.L. will receive \$450.

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EARLY SEASON BRILLIANCE

(By H. S. Scrivener)

No leading lawn tennis player has ever shown, so early in the season, more determination to face coming responsibilities with fortitude than has H. W. Austin. In winning the open singles at the Melbury Club he made it abundantly clear that he is Britain's No. 1 man without any "possible, probable shadow of doubt."

After the third round, when he lost a set somewhat grudgingly to the Chinese K. C. Li, whom he had previously beaten elsewhere, the largest number of games he lost was three, to N. Sharpe, in the final on Saturday, although his previous victims had included M. A. Young, R. J. Ritchie and C. M. Jones.

The secret of Austin's success lies mainly in his forehand shots on the floor, which are so powerful that he can hustle so stout a defender as Sharpe into the making of errors. They also, naturally, help him to dart up to the net when he wants to and there, who more or less complete command of the situation.

Sharpe is a past master of the passing shot, but he did not get very many balls past Austin, whose wonderful anticipation helped him to chip in and cut them off so that although Sharpe played fine lawn tennis, it was not of much avail against the Austin brand of the same article. His best effort from a scoring point of view was made in the two games which he won in the first set after Austin had led by 4-0. In the second set he won the fourth.

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County Cricket

ESSEX DEFEAT SOMERSET

BY 6 WICKETS

London, May 10. Scoring was low in the county championship cricket match which finished at Taunton to-day between Somerset and Essex.

Essex won by six wickets, Somerset being tumbled out in their second innings for 100.

There was a keen fight for first innings lead. Somerset, batting first, amassed 223, but Essex replied with 225 for 9 wickets, and then declared.

Nichols took heavy toll of Somerset in their second knock and had an analysis of 4 for 20.

Essex hit the required 102 for the loss of four wickets.

Andrews bowled skilfully for Somerset in Essex first innings, capturing 5 for 67.—Reuter.

CLOSE CANNON RECORD

BREAK OF 570 BY DAVIS

During a break of 570 in his semi-final United Kingdom Professional Billiards Championship, at Thurston's, Joe Davis had a run of 182 close cannons.

This is a record under the new bank line rule which requires a player to cross the line during the last 20 in every 200.

At the afternoon session Davis scored 955 (average 78) against 900 (average 69) to lead at the interval by 225 points.

Smith scored 634 points (average 93) in the later session and Davis 825 (average 82).

Best breaks: Smith 271, 277, 389 and 199; Davis 570, 201, 210 and 193.

Closes: Davis, 3,029; Smith (in play), 5,403.

Another Tennis Girl Walks Off

London, Apr. 16. What might be called a "walk-off strike" is spreading in the lawn tennis world.

Yesterday, at Melbury (Kensington) tournament, Miss Joan Ingram followed the example of Miss G. M. Southwell on Tuesday and left the court after she was set-all in her match against Miss A. E. McOstrich. Miss Ingram played moderately in the first set and very well in the second.

She then said: "I am not going to continue; you are certain to win the third set at six-love."

Miss McOstrich looked astonished, as did the spectators.

Miss Ingram said later that the reason for her retirement was that she had to play in the doubles.

The score was in favour of Miss McOstrich, 6-0, 3-0 (ret.).

For the second time in less than a week Miss R. Hardwick beat Miss "Kay" Stammers, the score yesterday being 6-2, 2-6, 6-3.

Virtual Dictator Of Boxing In England CONTROLS DESTINIES OF PROMOTERS

(By H. I. Percy)

London. Freddy Miller, ex-world's featherweight champion, showed that there were "easy pickings" to be had in Europe, and thus started a "gold rush" of American boxers to these and other foreign shores.

Fighting sometimes two and three times a week, Miller cleaned up a neat fortune here, before returning to the United States to lose his title to Percy Sarron.

But the influx had started. Max Baer hopes to gather some 30,000 shekels from his fights here. Kingfish Levinsky has dream of £5,000 or £6,000. Percy Sarron is on the look-out for some pin-money to the tune of about £2,000. Joe Louis is scheduled to come over for a Coronation fight. His pickings should be around the century mark or more.

JUST ONE FLAW

But there's just one flaw in all these dreams of taking back a stack of crisp "fivers" and "tenners", and that is the B.B.B.C., short for the British Boxing Board of Control.

The Board, which governs boxing throughout England, Wales and Northern Ireland, is powerful, but not as powerful as it would like to be.

Its control over American boxers here, is that it can refuse to sanction a fight between two foreigners, or even between a foreigner and a British boxer. But that need not prevent the fight being held if the promoter and everybody else concerned is willing to risk excommunication, fines or suspension, which are the Board's only means of punishment.

That these punishments can be effective was shown in the case of Jeff Dickson, New York, Paris and London fight promoter who had ideas of stepping into Tex Rickard's shoes.

Dickson was a "rebel" promoter here. He was not registered with the board, and he staged fights between boxers who were not registered. When he tried to stage a championship fight, the Board told him that his winner would not be recognized as the champion.

After a time Dickson found it increasingly hard to get first-class bills as the top-liners could not afford to risk the Board's displeasures. Eventually about 18 months ago, Dickson threw in the towel and withdrew to Paris.

He left the field clear to Arthur Elvin, proprietor of Wembley Stadium, Ltd., of which Brigadier-General A. C. Critchley is chairman. Both these outfits are registered with the Board.

All promoters, referees, managers, trainers and boxers must register with the Board, which has a fixed annual scale of fees.

Fines and suspension and the withdrawal of licences are the Board's punishments for any infringement of the 66-page book of regulations.

SENSATIONAL INSTANCE

Probably the most sensational instance of the Board's power, concerned heavyweight Jack Doyle. Doyle fought Jack Peterson for his British title in 1935, but lost the fight on a foul in the second round.

The Board seized Doyle's share of the purse, about £1,500 until it had made enquiries. Eventually the Board suspended Doyle for six months and confiscated his purse.

On appeal, however, it allowed him some £15 a week for expenses.

Since the Board is recognized throughout the world as the official ruling body of British boxing, no British boxer would stand any chance of qualifying for a world championship if he remained outside the Board's control. Promoters would refuse to bill him however good he might be.

Therein lies the Board's power. The Board came into being in 1920. Its originator was Charles F. Donmall, businessman boxing agent, sporting-paper proprietor, in 1920 he drafted a set of regulations, much as they are to-day. He then tried to get leading patrons of sport interested such as the Earl of Londsdale, Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, the Earl of Drogheda and Viscount Scaradale.

Assured of sufficient support Donmall called a public meeting in 1920, which was attended by boxing promoters, managers, trainers, boxers and fans. That meeting formed the B.B.B.C.

Its main objects, according to the book of regulations are: "(1). To control and regulate professional boxing in the United Kingdom and to act as a 'Board of Appeal'."

"(2). To encourage professional boxing in the United Kingdom, and to promote and safeguard license holders' interests in parliament and local councils and with railway companies and also in their dealings with international boxers and their managers."

"(3). To arrange international agreements and promote the interests of British professional boxers in world's championships."

"(4). To promote and safeguard the interests of British professional boxers throughout the world."

Other objects include raising loans at interest and a benevolent fund for boxers.

The Board, as such, consists of the president, the Earl of Londsdale, the vice-presidents, Colonel R. E. Middleton and Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, not more than 25 stewards, an honorary treasurer, and the general secretary.

THOSE IN CONTROL

At present there are 14 stewards including the Earl of Drogheda, Viscount Scaradale, Harold Abrahams, the olympic victor, C. H. Douglas and P. J. Moss, who are referees. These stewards sit either as administrative stewards or stewards of appeal. Any person affected by a decision or order of the Board can appeal on deposit of £1.

The Board has seven branches in Scotland, Northern England, Southern England, Wales, Northern Ireland, Western England and Eastern England. These control their respective areas by councils which must comprise four promoters, three referees, three boxers, two managers, one match-maker, and one ring-master, trainer, second, timekeeper, M.C., or whip.

These councils settle local disputes over contracts or purses; arrange area championships and other fights; appoint referees for fights in their areas, whether they involve local boxers or not.

For instance, the southern branch selected Referee C. H. Douglas for the Baer-Farr fight on April 15; a fact which caused Baer's manager, Ancil Hoffman, audibly to wonder.

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FARR'S FUTURE PLANS

TAKE HOLIDAY: DO SOME MORE FIGHTING: MAKE MORE MONEY

Tommy Farr, British and Empire heavyweight champion, is going to do three things in the immediate future. In this order:

Have a holiday.

Do some more fighting.

Make some money.

There is a fourth proposition—to marry. But that's not immediate.

"Let's get the fighting over first," he said recently. We were talking at his Blackheath training camp. A piece of sticking plaster over his left eye was the only indication that the night before he had fought former world champion Max Baer. An expansive grin was the only indication of his satisfaction at having so soundly beaten the American.

21 FIGHTS

"I'm not afraid to go back to the mines," he said, "but there's money to be made in boxing—at the top, anyway. I've had 21 fights. Not

long ago I couldn't get £120 for a contest."

"Now, while I'm still young, I'm going to do some fighting."

"I'd sooner meet Schmeling in London—you get a neutral referee for one thing—but I'm prepared to fight anywhere if I can get the money."

"My holiday first, though. After three months' training I feel I deserve it."

"Ted Broadbribb, my manager, and I will probably go to the United States. Just to look round."

I need hardly say that there was jubilation in the Farr camp. But none was so happy as Tommy Evans, the diminutive trainer. "He nursed me as a baby," said Tommy Farr.

The older Tommy, with an affectionate grin, shook hands with his massive infant. It must have been at least the twelfth time they had shaken hands during the day.

I learn that Farr's next fight in all probability will be with Walter Neusel, the German, in London some time in June.

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POWER OF BOXING BOARD OF CONTROL

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why the Board itself had not deigned to appoint the referee for such an important fight. Everybody connected with boxing from the promoters downwards must have a licence. These are renewed every year, and make the holder a "member" of the Board. In the case of a champion whose licence is suspended, it is the duty of the committee of the Board to decide whether he should forfeit his title. And there is no appeal from its decision.

FEES AND STIPULATIONS

The annual licence fees are Promoters, £5, 5s. Matchmakers, £2, 2s. Boxers, 5s. Referees, £2, 2s. for class "Star" and "A," and £1, 1s. for class "B." Managers, £2, 2s. Trainers, £1, 1s. Ring-masters, whites and timekeepers, 10s. M.C.'s, £1, 1s. Seconds, 5s.

All licence-holders must be able to show them on demand by the Board's inspectors.

There are stringent rules for promoters, even to a scale of fees for referees and timekeepers according to the size of the purse.

Paragraph 31 says, for instance: A promoter engaging an alien boxer or boxers must forward form 30 A.R.I.B. to the head office correctly and Ministry of Labour Form filled up. American boxers will be granted permission to remain in Great Britain for a period of two months (which may be extended) on the following conditions:—

"That the boxer will not take part in more than one boxing contest promoted in Great Britain and Northern Ireland in any fourteen days during his stay."

"Permission will be granted for two alien boxers only to appear on any one programme unless under special or exceptional circumstances for which permission must be obtained from the Boards."

Promoters may not bill a fight as for a championship without the Board's sanction. Neither may they stage all-in wrestling on the same programme.

BOARD'S RAKE-OFF

In all championship fights, whether British, British Empire, European or world, and also from all fights which gross £2,500 or more, the Board gets five per cent. of the gate. This comes equally from the boxers' purses and the promoter, and for it, the Board provides referee, timekeeper, inspectors, gloves, and bandages, in addition to belts, cups or emblems.

Boxers must be over the age of 16, and if under 18, must not box in a contest of more than 30 minutes actual boxing.

They cannot fight two fights in the same day. Neither can they fight in a contest of 30 minutes actual boxing within four days of their last fight.

If they slack on their training, the Board has power to cancel the fight, and punish the slacker. They must wear coloured shorts, and jock-strap, but shields are optional.

Referees are divided into three classes. The "Star" class can referee any fight; the "A" class can only referee 30-minute fights.

They must keep their score-sheets at least fourteen days after a fight. The Board lays down that managers shall receive 25 per cent. of their boxer's purse over £10, and ten per cent. under that sum.

GOVERNING CHAMPIONS

In its rules governing championship fights, the Board says a boxer forfeits his title on the following counts:—

"(1). If defeated in a championship contest sanctioned and controlled by the Board and at the weight at which he won his title."

"(2). If the holder be convicted of felony or misdemeanor."

"(3). If proved guilty, to the satisfaction of the Board, of gross misconduct as a boxer."

"(4). If he refuses to defend his title after the receipt of a challenge approved, and a date limit given for such title match by the Board."

"(5). Causes to be a member of the B.B.C.C."

"(6). If he refuse to accept 60 per cent. of a purse approved by the Board."

A champion cannot defend his title less than six months after his last title fight, without the Board's sanction.

The Board controls all British and British Empire championships, whether in this country or in the Dominions. It also controls European and world championship fights staged in this country.

For other matters, the Dominions have their own boards.

SPORT ADVTs.

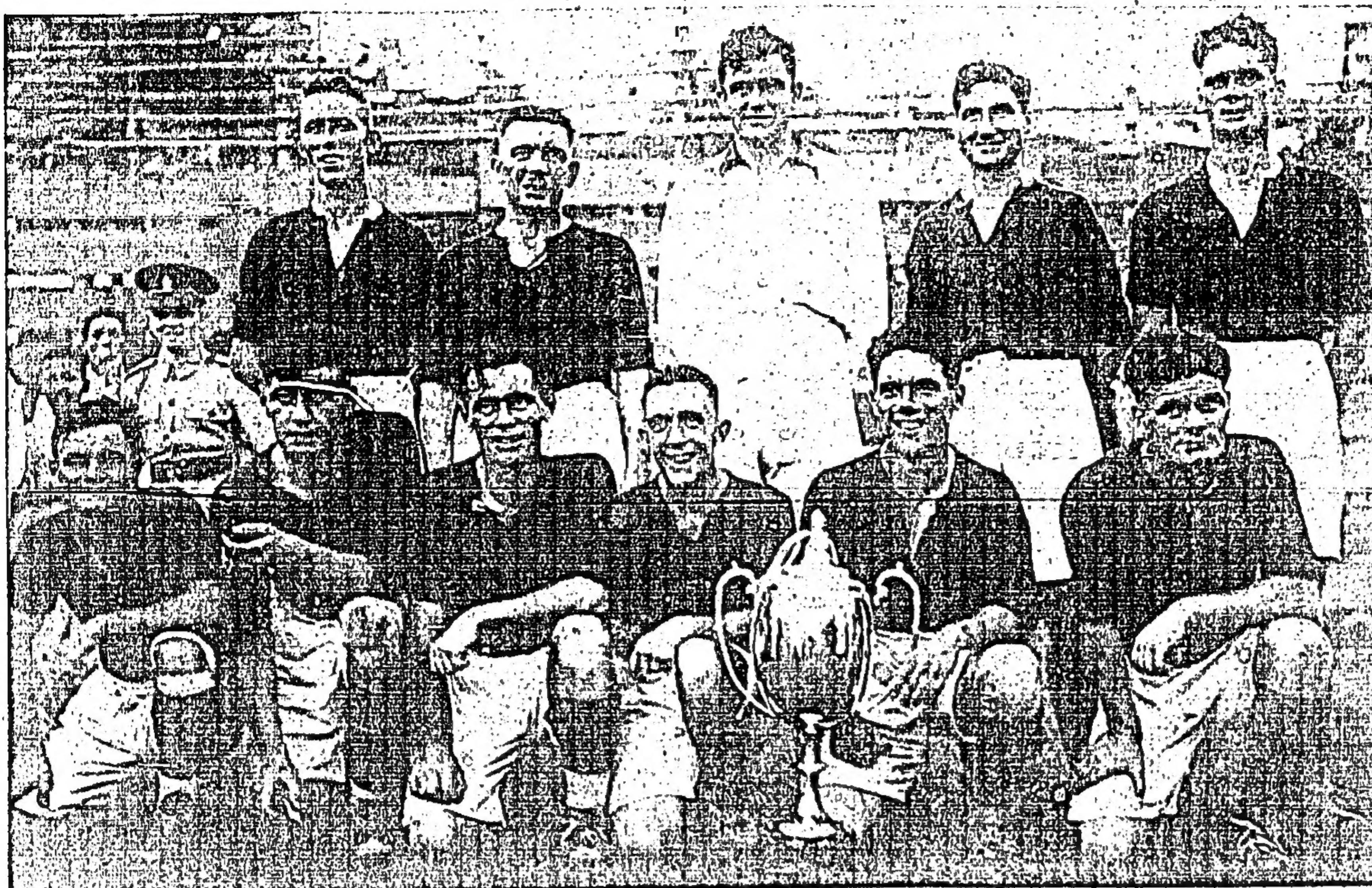
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By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
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Hongkong, 10th May, 1937.

TIRED, HOT, DISHEVELLED, BUT TRIUMPHANT



The Army football team, snapped at the conclusion of their gruelling Kotewall Cup match with South China A.A. on Sunday. The players were very hot and weary, but they smiled happily enough when the photographer directed them to "look at the little birds". (Photo by Mee Cheung).

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game, and fought hard for the next three to no purpose. I watched this match with real pleasure.

MISS HARDWICK'S SUCCESS

The match can hardly be described as an exhilarating from the playing point of view, because the conditions with drizzling rain falling called for caution rather than enterprise, and Miss Hardwick had to work very hard to win. The loser led by 4-1 in the first set, which Miss Hardwick won at 6-4, and had three chances for 6-5 in the second, which Miss Hardwick won at 7-5.

Owing mainly to Friday's bad weather only one of the three doubles events, wherein Austin scored another win, was finished, and the weather was none too good, with fine rain occurring now and again in the course of a rather dismal afternoon.

Miss J. Nicoll, a 14-year-old Harrow girl, did well to beat Miss N. Cole by 6-1, 6-2, in the restricted women's singles final. She played very steadily. Results:

Men's Singles—Final: H. W. Austin beat N. Sharpe, 6-2, 6-1.

Men's Restricted Singles—Semifinal: D. N. Hardwick beat Lord Tollymore, 2-6, 6-3, 10-8. Final: Divided between R. G. L. Smith and Hardwick.

Women's Singles—Final: Miss R. M. Hardwick beat Mrs. E. C. Peters, 6-4, 7-5.

Women's Restricted Singles—Final: Miss J. Nicoll beat Miss N. Cole, 6-1, 6-2.

Men's Doubles—Final: Austin and G. L. Rogers beat J. S. Olliff and E. C. Peters, 6-1, 6-2.

Women's Doubles—4th Rd.: Miss D. E. Round and Miss M. Trevelyan beat Miss G. M. Southwell and Miss R. M. Smith, 6-2, 6-1. Semifinal: Benarita A. Litana and Miss M. C. Scriven beat Miss Round and Miss Trevelyan, 6-4, 6-1. Semifinal: Benarita A. Litana and Miss Scriven beat Mrs. M. R. King

ARRESTED MAN SUCCEUMS DIPHTHERIA FIRST SUSPECTED

Arrested on a charge of possession of dutiable tobacco, an unemployed man, Shi Fat, aged 26, was confined in a cell at the Central Police Station yesterday. While there, he suddenly collapsed, and was removed to the Government Civil Hospital where he died.

It was at first suspected that the man had diphtheria, but a post-mortem examination of the body failed to reveal signs of the disease.

NEW AERIAL SERVICE EURASIA PLANES TO CALL HERE

It is notified for general information that the Director of Air Services, Hongkong, has issued a permit enabling the Eurasia Aviation Corporation to use the Hongkong Air Port for the purpose of an air service for passengers, cargo and mails between Hongkong and Peiping.

No definite date has been fixed for the inauguration of a regular service but this will probably begin in June of this year.



One of the several pulsating incidents in the course of the Kotewall Cup, showing Rowlands saving in a mix-up on the goal line. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

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The following opening quotations and closing business done quotations of the morning session were received by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office this morning:

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Banking Wedge	1.00	1.00
Coco Grove	0.04	0.05
Consolidated Mines	0.220	0.240
Demonstration	0.07	0.08
East Mindanao	0.05	0.07
Game Gold	1.00	1.00
Ilion	0.06	0.07
I. X. I.	0.07	0.08
Mineral Resources	0.22	0.25
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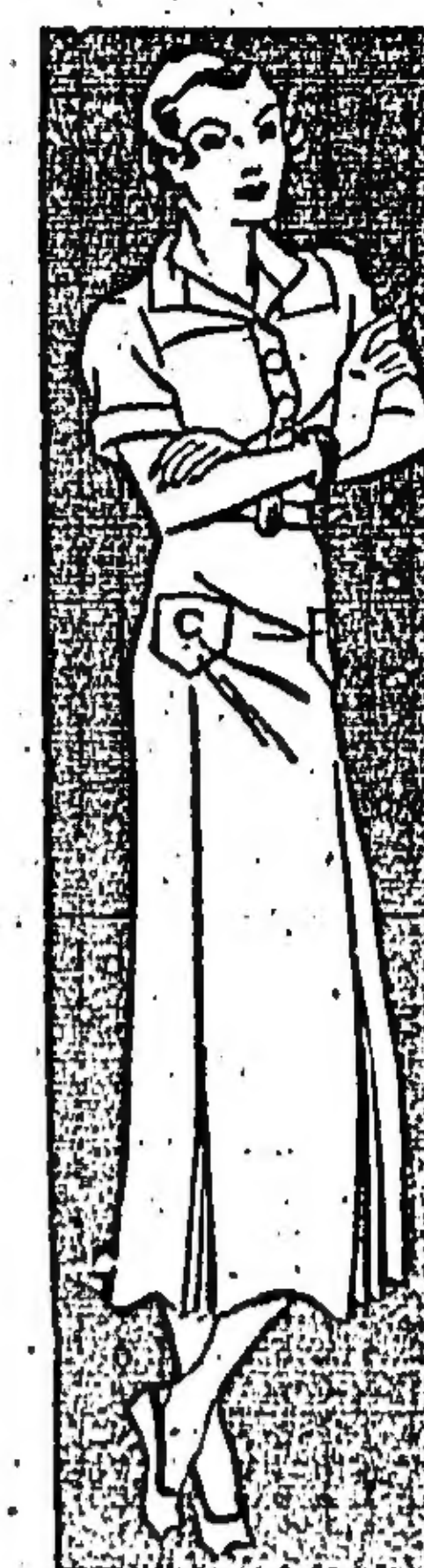
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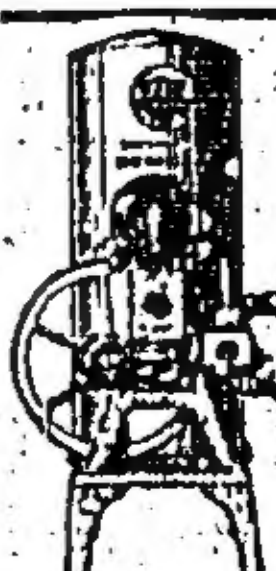
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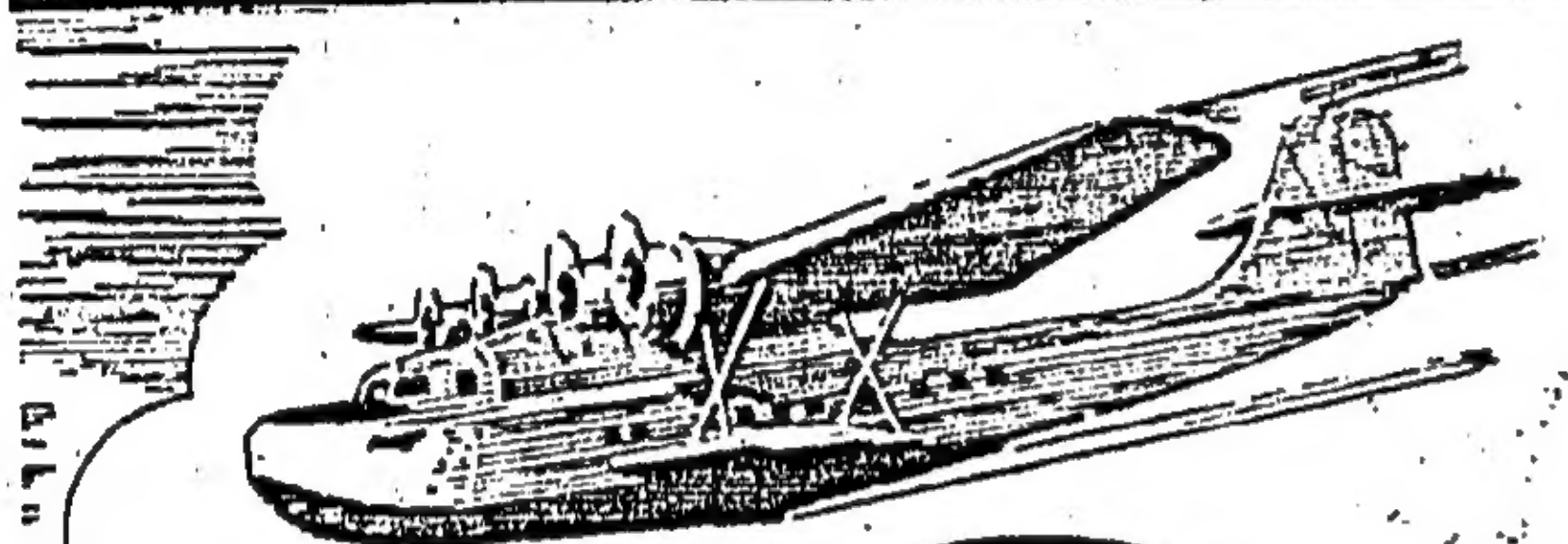
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Pres. Monroe	8.00 a.m. July 4	4	Pres. Coolidge	9.00 p.m. May 27	27
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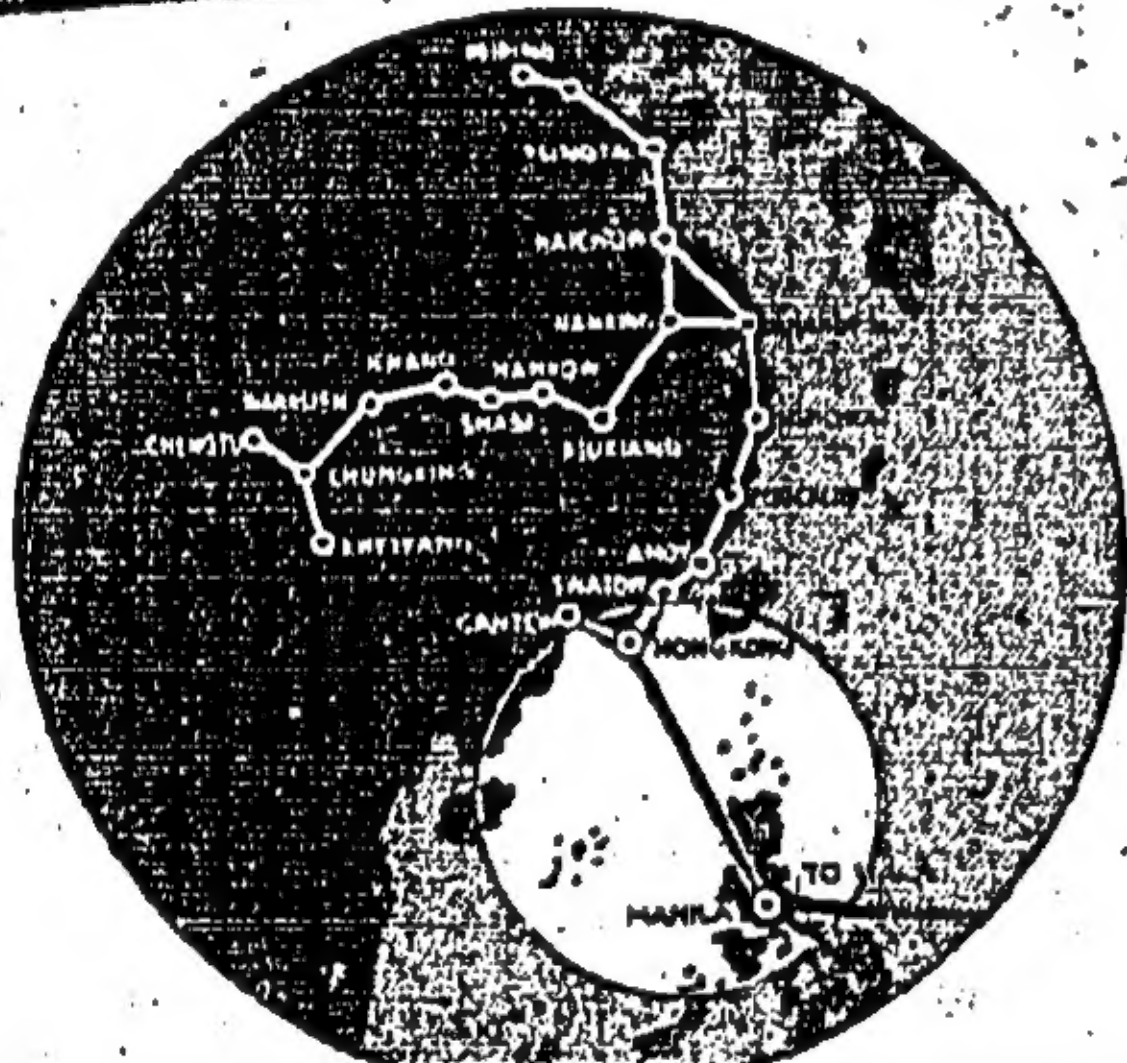
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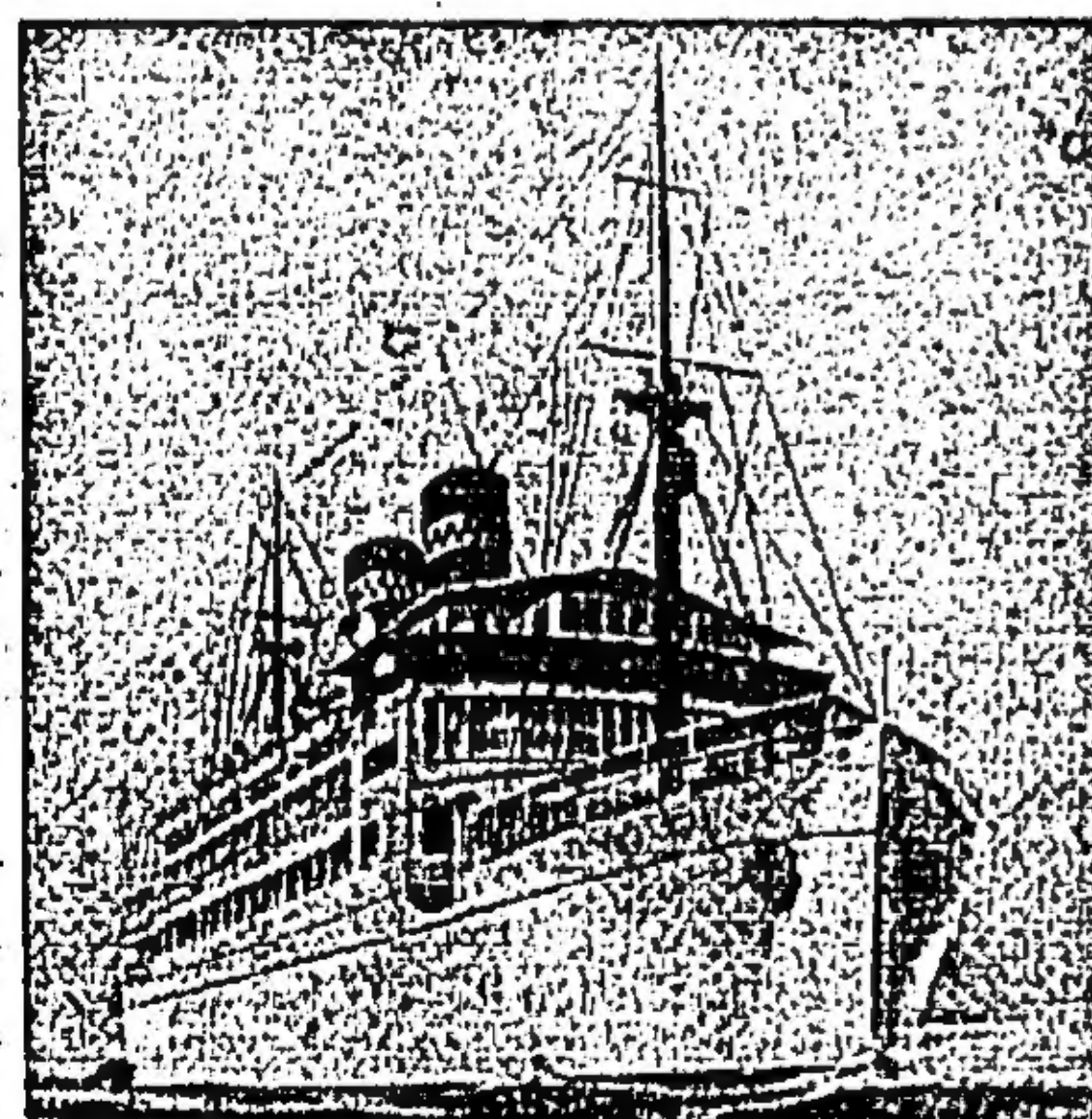
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SHANGHAI GERMANS HONOUR HITLER'S BIRTHDAY



Shanghai's German community turned out in force on the lawn at the Kaiser Wilhelm School to celebrate the 48th birthday of Herr Adolf Hitler, Fuehrer—a ceremony at which a number of German boys and girls took their oath of allegiance to the National Socialist Party. The above pictures, taken by flashlight, show, at top, the Hitler Youth on parade, and, below, leading officers and civilians.



The above photographs give some idea of the colourful display which attended the arrival in Shanghai last week of the new Italian Ambassador, Signor Giuliano Cora, who was a passenger in the liner Conte Rosso. Signor Cora is seen saluting the guard of honour which was drawn up along the wharf (top) and later, clad in civilian clothes, standing with Consul-General L. Neyrone and others.

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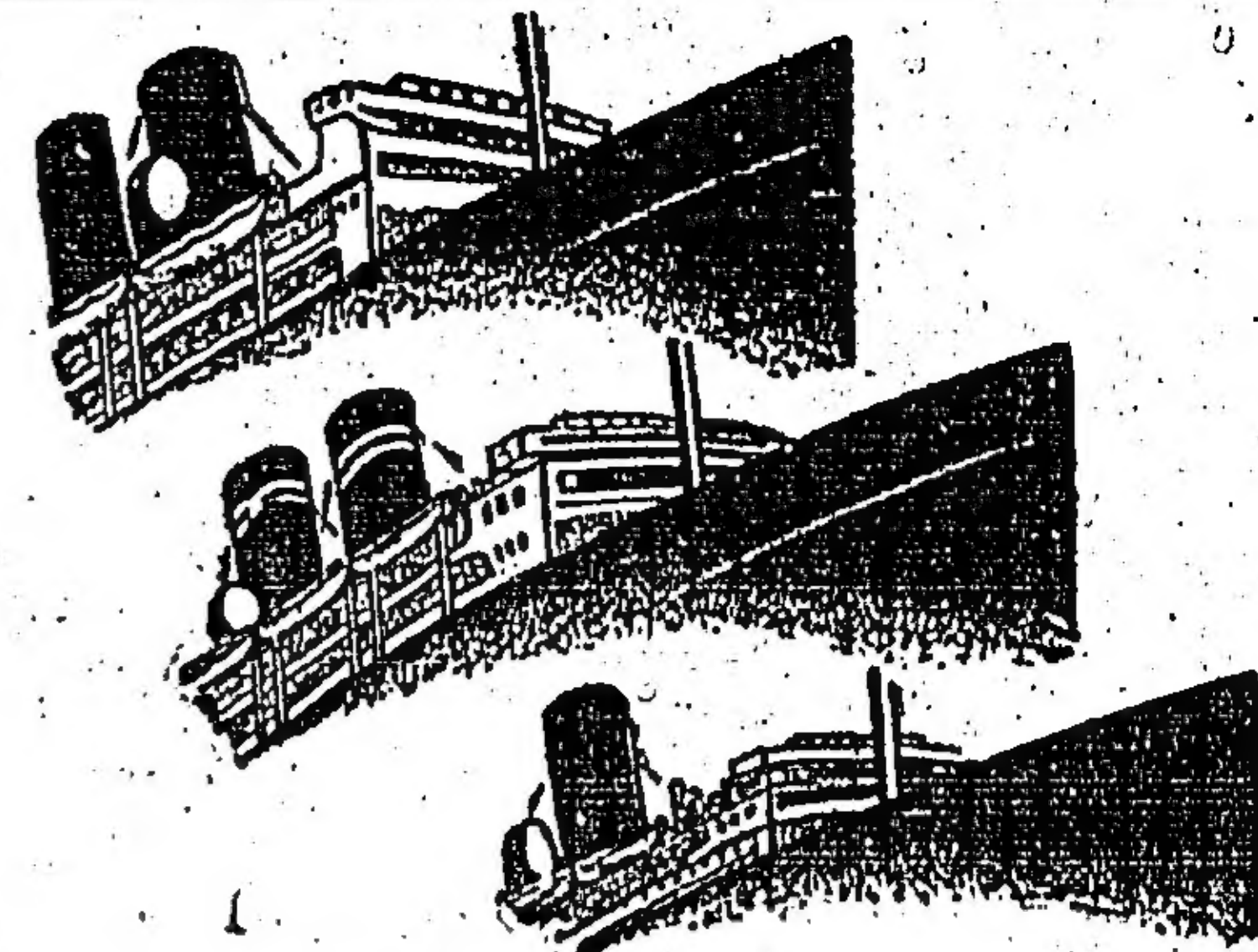
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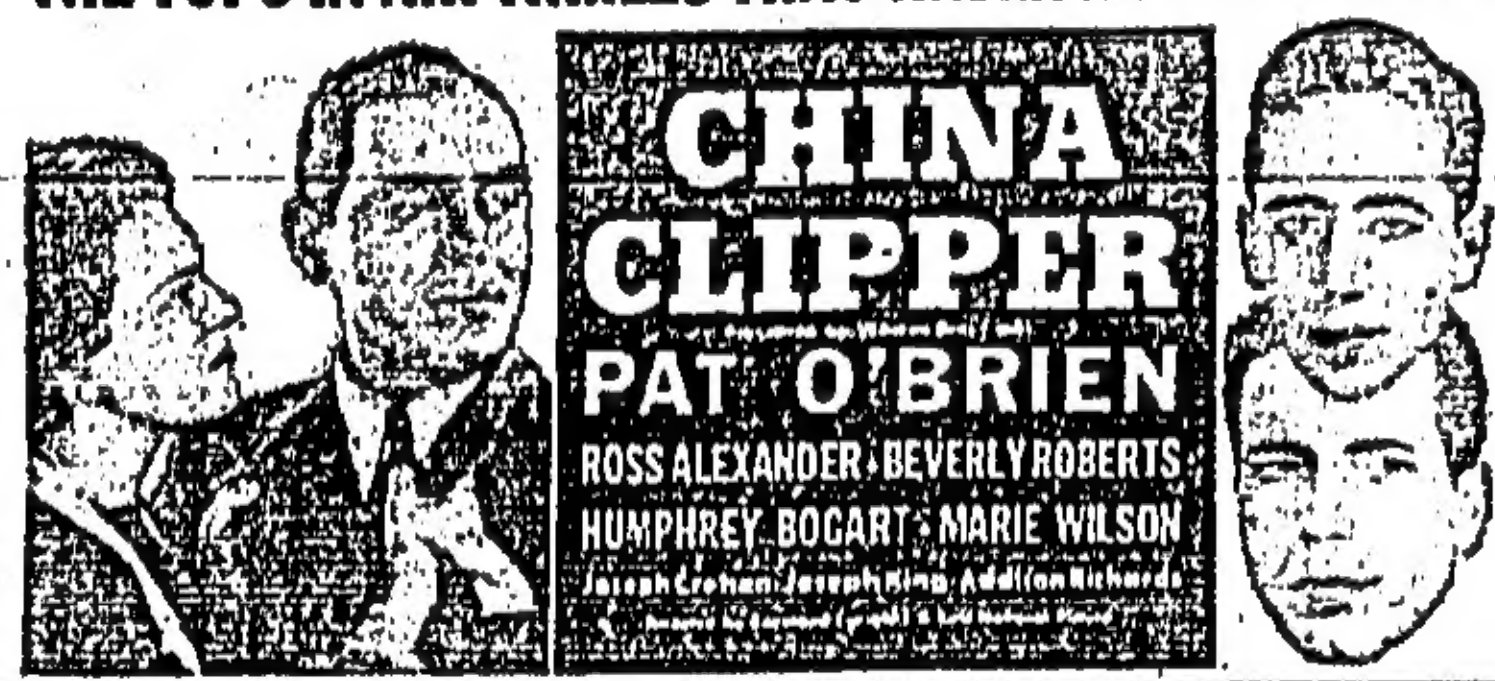
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Still Well Ahead In National League

Cleveland Handily Defeats Boston

New York, May 10. Pittsburgh won again to-day, increasing its lead in the National League and giving promise of stiff competition later in the season when the pennant race tightens up. The Pirates beat Boston four to two, on ten hits to eight. Each team had three errors.

Chicago whipped the New York Giants in a hot encounter, four to three. Collins, hitting homers to swell the total from eleven hits. Barkell hit a home run for the Giants, whose hits were nine in all. They had four errors to the Cubs two.

Brooklyn defeated St. Louis, one of the favoured teams for the League championship, eight to two. The Cardinals' four errors helped the Dodgers to swell eight hits to eight runs. St. Louis hit four times.

Philadelphia overwhelmed the Cincinnati Reds, ten runs to three, in spite of blundering into five errors. Reds only hit four times, and had one error. Whiteney homered for the Phillies.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

The American League leaders, Cleveland Indians won an eleven-inning game from Boston Red Sox, six to five. The Sox's home run did the trick, helped by Boston's three errors. Cleveland hit seventeen to Boston's ten.

Philadelphia remained in second berth, beating Detroit, nine to five. Hayes homered for the Athletics and Greenberg for the Tigers. The winners had nine hits, one better than their opponents, and each were taxed one error.

New York Yankees won easily from Chicago White Sox, Pearson allowing only one hit, Selkirk hitting one homer and Di Maggio two. Chicago had two errors.

St. Louis Browns, with nine hits, beat Washington, with five hits, nine to three. Washington had four errors.—*Reuter*.

TYPHOON WARNING

The Manila Observatory reports at 7.50 a.m. to-day that there is a typhoon near or over the Balintag Channel, moving E.N.E.

NO LIGHT SHED ON DISASTER

Von Hindenburg Fire Inquiry Opens

20 Royal Guests To Lead Way

Lakehurst, May 10. A very strong light in the upper air of the tragically lost zeppelin, von Hindenburg, preceded the appearance of the fire, which destroyed the airship with such appalling loss of life, according to evidence brought out at the opening session of the Department of Commerce inquiry to-day.

The investigation was largely devoted to the evidence of Commander Rosendahl, of the Lakehurst Air Station, one of the United States' foremost authorities on dirigibles. Although his testimony threw little new light upon the horrible cause of the disaster, he scouted the theory that a spark of static electricity was responsible. The trail ropes, which touched the earth prior to the outbreak of fire, would definitely have grounded the charge of static which all airships accumulate in flight.—*Reuter*.

M.P. Killed In Motor Crash

Sir James. Blindell A Self-Made Man

London, May 10. The National Liberal member of the House of Commons, Sir James Blindell, Junior Lord of the Treasury, was killed to-day when his car overturned on his way from the crowning of the Carnival Queen at Boston, Lincolnshire.

Sir James was the son of a farm labourer, started life as an errand boy and became managing-director of a firm of boot manufacturers.—*Reuter*.

U.S. SHIPPING MAN PASSES

FOUNDED AMERICAN MAIL LINE

Pacific coast shipping circles have suffered a heavy loss by the death of Mr. A. F. Haines, Vice-President and General Manager of the American Mail Line, which occurred at Seattle on Sunday. News of the sad event was received by cable by the local office this morning.

Glittering Processions Form Early

Two Hours Before Coronation

20 Royal Guests To Lead Way

London, May 10. The processions which will form a glittering prelude to the Coronation will begin two hours before Their Majesties the King and Queen reach Westminster Abbey to-morrow.

A full official "ceremonial" of the Coronation has been issued, setting forth every detail of the pageantry accompanying the rite. This shows that twenty royal guests will head the procession. Representatives of foreign States, led by Crown Prince and Princess Chichibu of Japan, and eighteen members of the British Royal Family will form the first procession, which is due at the Abbey at 8.55 a.m.

Princess Elizabeth and Margaret Rose will walk on either side of the Princess Royal in the "possession of Princes and Princesses of the Royal Blood."

They will be followed by the Duchess of Gloucester and Kent. The Russian Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, representing the Soviet at the ceremonies, will walk immediately behind Signor Dino Grandi, the Italian Ambassador.

The British Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, will head the group of five Empire Prime Ministers.

Six processions will pass through Westminster Abbey before the Coronation: the members of the Royal Family, foreign representatives, the Dean and prebendaries of Westminster, bearing the Royal Regalia, the Royal Princes and Princesses, and Queen Mary with the Queen of Norway, culminating in a procession in which Their Majesties will move to the Coronation Theatre, their Regalia borne before them.—*Reuter*.

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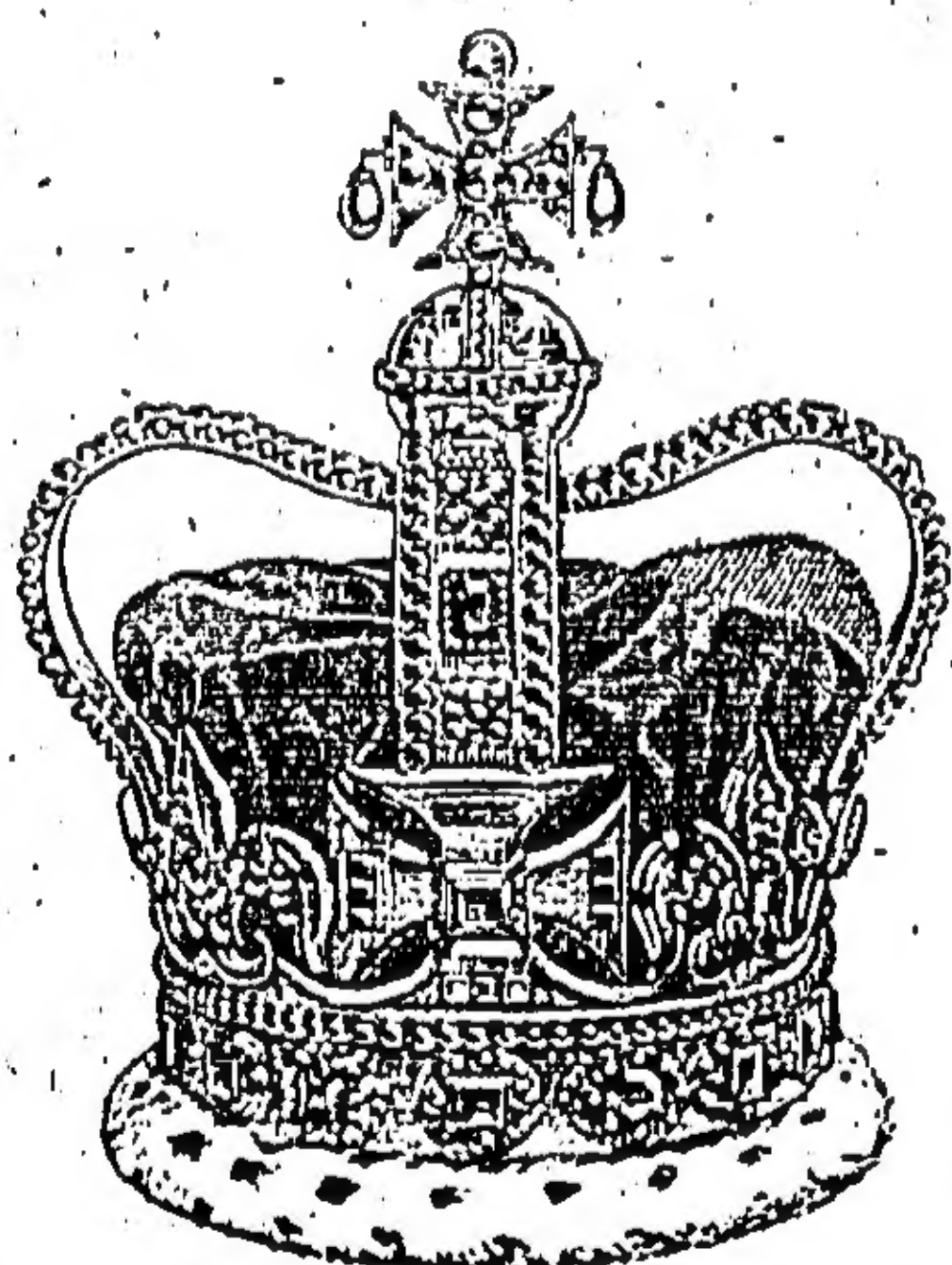
The late Mr. Haines founded the American Mail Line and was instrumental in developing its Oriental services. He had been ill for some considerable time, and although his death was not unexpected, the news will be received with the utmost regret by all who enjoyed his friendship.

The funeral is taking place in Seattle to-day.

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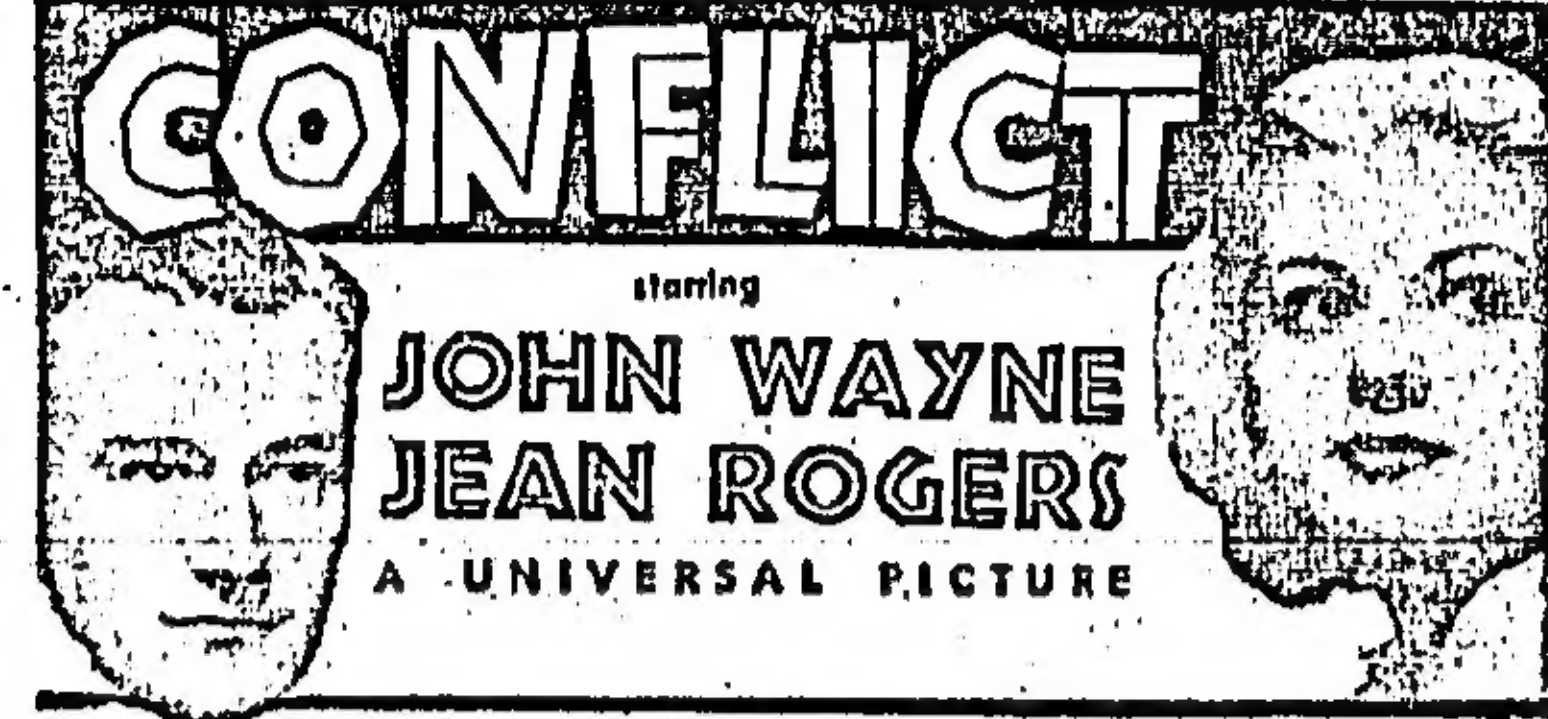
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A remarkable demonstration of affection was given Queen Mary, mother of the King, by vast, cheering crowds at Buckingham Palace gates, which broke through the police cordon and surged about her car. Some even clambered on to the running-board.

Her Majesty was arriving to attend the state banquet given by the King and Queen to celebrate the coming Coronation.

There was a glittering spectacle inside the Palace, for this was the biggest function since the Coronation of King George V in 1911. The 450 guests included members of foreign Royal Families, Empire statesmen and notables from all walks of life.

Under the great crystal chandeliers the guests dined in two rooms, the King clad in the full dress blue and gold uniform of Admiral of the Fleet, sitting at the middle of a long table in the splendid white and gold state ballroom, with his mother, Queen Mary opposite him.

Queen Elizabeth was a lovely figure in cloth of gold, with a tiara and necklace, both of diamonds and rubies. She sat at the middle of a long table in the second dining room. At the King's table guests dined off Buckingham Palace's famous gold plate.—*Reuter*.

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